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CLOSER INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

HONG KONG CLIPPER'S EPOCH MAKING FLIGHT

Enthusiastic Scenes At
Kai Tak Airport

FLYING BOAT CHRISTENED BY
MISS JUDITH SMITH

"Hong Kong is only a tiny place but our magnificent harbour has been on the map for quite a long time..... and now it is our hope that Hong Kong will be equally on the air map, with London in one direction only nine days away and with New York in the other direction only six and a half days away," said His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Mr. N. L. Smith, when he welcomed Capt. La Porte and members of the crew of the Hong Kong Clipper on the arrival of the Pan American Airways flying boat at Kai Tak from Manila, via Macao, yesterday morning.

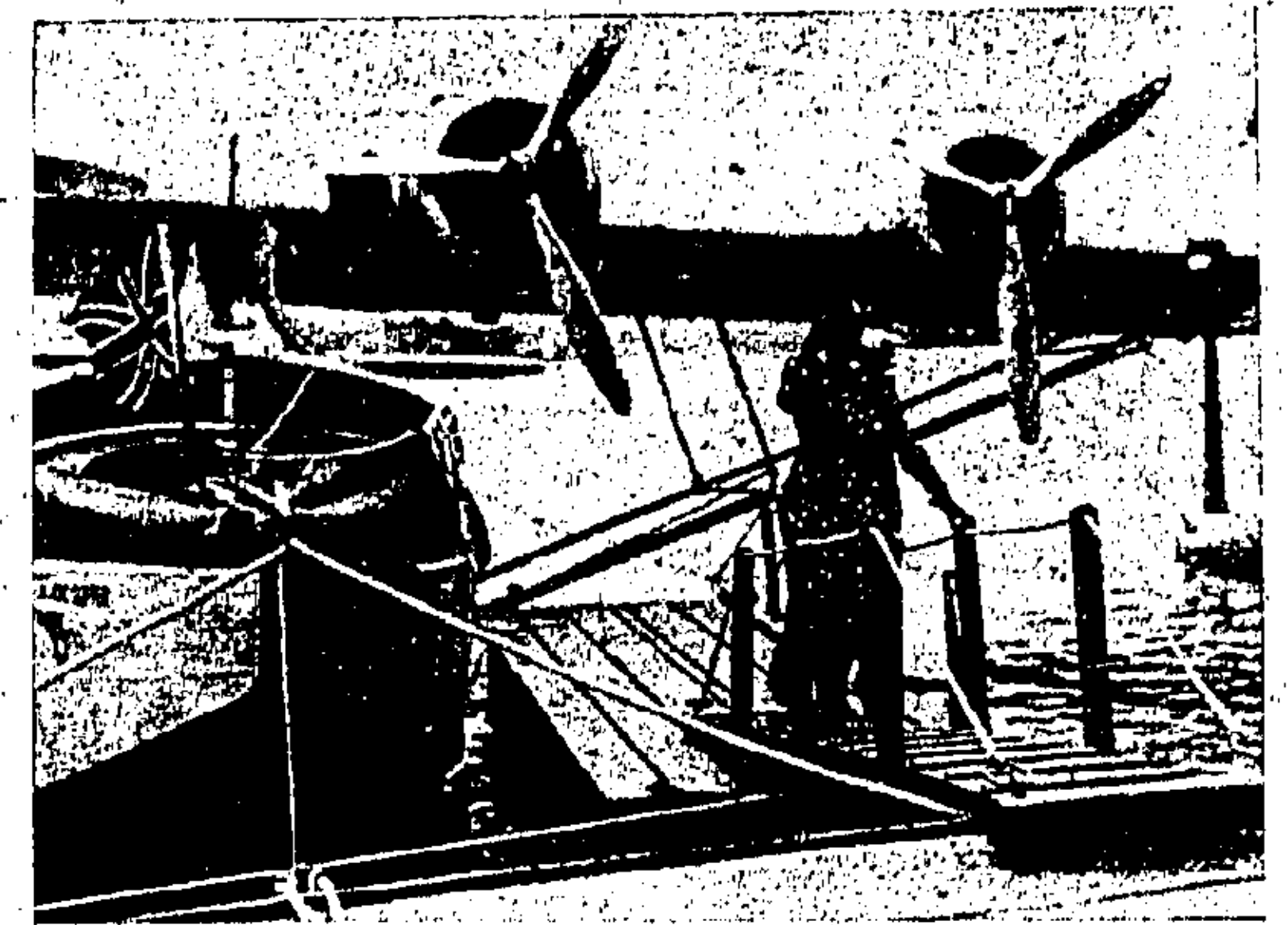
The Clipper landed at Kai Tak right on the stroke of time—she was expected at 11.50 a.m.—and as Capt. La Porte and members of the crew stepped ashore from the motor boat that went out to greet them, they were accorded a very warm reception. They were received by Mr. A. J. R. Moss, Superintendent of the Civil Aerodrome, Kai Tak Airport, who escorted them to the Hangar where special seating arrangements had been made.

On the platform were the official party and members of the crew of the Hong Kong Clipper. The whole proceedings were broadcast by Z.B.W.

Interviewed by a representative of "The Daily Press", Capt. La Porte said that they had had a wonderful trip and he was thoroughly satisfied with everything.

the Clipper behaving in splendid manner throughout the trip. He added that he had previously visited the Colony and he was of the opinion that Hong Kong was ideal for an airport and he felt sure that in the very near future Kai Tak would be one of the most important air junctions in the world.

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Miss Judith Smith, daughter of Mr. N. L. Smith, Officer Administering the Government, at the christening ceremony of the Hong Kong Clipper. (Photo by Mee Cheung).

"Amongst Those Present

With "Prudence" At Kai Tak

It is always thrilling to see history in the making, and the Hong Kong public certainly had a chance yesterday, and took it! What a crowd there was at Kai Tak, waiting for the great Pan-American flying boat to arrive and thus join the last link of the chain binding the East and the West together!

Among the hundreds there, one could see representatives of all the different nationalities that live so harmoniously together in this Colony; and people of every walk of life from the poorest coolie to the highest.

It was a good idea for schools to give facilities for children to see the Clipper arrive and great numbers took advantage of this and seemed to be thoroughly enjoying themselves.

Punctually at the appointed time the Hong Kong Clipper was sighted

over the distant hills. Swiftly she neared, the airport, making two wide sweeping circles before finally alighting. Then, dipping as graceful as a swallow the great plane landed lightly on the waves, and "taxied" smoothly up to the raft where members of the reception committee were waiting to greet the airman.

CHARMING WELCOME

A few brief preliminaries and they boarded a launch and came ashore, proceeding at once to the hangar where a large audience was awaiting them.

His Excellency the O.A.G., Mr. N. L. Smith gave a most charming speech of welcome to which Captain La Porte replied (speaking on behalf of the other members of the party who were Captain Sellers, Captain Nixon, Chief Officer Frank Briggs, Third Officer V.

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EDEN'S VISIT TO BELGIUM

CONVERSATIONS PROMISE GOOD RESULTS FOR
FUTURE OF EUROPE

London, April 28.
British newspapers without exception share the view that the visit of the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden to Brussels was as valuable as it was cordial and that the conversations he had there promise good results for the future of Europe. These contacts were not the occasion for negotiations but they served to enable the statesmen to develop the outline of various constructive ideas "with a will to closer international collaboration wherever it exists to good account in the coming months."

One point that has evidently created a very favourable impression in Great Britain is the unquestionable determination of the Belgian Government to remain faithful to the League covenant—a matter that has been placed beyond all doubt—and the hope is expressed that the conversation will prove a hopeful prelude to wider European negotiations in the near future and that these will mark the beginning of a new period of international co-operation.

JUMPS COSTS HIS LIFE

Kowloon Motor Bus
Fatality

A fatal accident occurred in Kowloon at 7.30 p.m., yesterday as the result of alighting from a motor bus in motion.

Two men were injured. Un Kwai-yik, of the Yat Chuen Tailor Shop, Nathan Road, and Mui Heung-yuk.

They both fell in attempting to jump off bus No. 588 at Nathan Road near Gascoigne Road.

The bus in question hurriedly conveyed them to hospital, but Un Kwai-yik passed away shortly after admission. The other man was discharged after attention as he was suffering from only slight injuries.

The "News Chronicle" describes Mr. Eden's visit to Brussels as "one of the most satisfactory and encouraging visits abroad of the Foreign Secretary ever made."

The "Tribune" thinks that after a further joint detailed study by the British and Belgian Foreign Offices, an initiative which would base itself on a new programme of negotiation may be expected for the general purpose of creating security between Belgium and her great neighbours in the East and West.

The "Daily Telegraph" thinks the conversations are likely to be carried further when Mr. Eden, M. Deibos, M. Spaak and other Foreign Ministers meet at Geneva for the special meeting fixed for the last week of the next month.—British Wireless.

MANUSCRIPT LOST

THE MANUSCRIPT OF THE ADDRESS DELIVERED BY MISS K. J. ARCHER ON MONDAY NIGHT AT THE UNIVERSITY ON "VITAL STATISTICS, WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO OCCUPATIONAL MORTALITY," HAS BEEN LOST, AND AN EARNEST APPEAL IS MADE FOR ITS RETURN. IT IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LEFT IN A BUS OR A FERRY.

THE MANUSCRIPT WAS IN MISS ARCHER'S HANDWRITING, AND COMPRISED ABOUT 20 PAGES.

SHOULD THIS MANUSCRIPT BE FOUND, IT WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED IF IT IS RETURNED WITHOUT DELAY TO THE TOWN OFFICE OF "THE HONG KONG DAILY PRESS," MARINA HOUSE, 15-19, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

"MAN THE UNKNOWN"

Interesting Lecture
By Rev. Fr. Byrne

A very interesting lecture on "Man the Unknown," based on the book written by Dr. Alexis Carrel, an outstanding surgeon, was given at the Hong Kong University by the Rev. Father Byrne to a large and appreciative attendance, including a few professors and a great number of undergraduates.

In the course of his lecture he said, in part: "In learning the secret of matter, we have gained

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"NIGHT STAR" SALVAGE

Difficulties Attend
Work Of Raising

"We have all along tried to raise the ferry but have not met with success. We are now trying to move her away from the wharf before attempting to raise her again," said Capt. Williams of the Henry Keswick, the salvage tug now engaged in salvage operations on the Night Star which sank just by the ferry wharf after a collision with the Meridian Star some two weeks ago.

Salvage work has been going on almost incessantly since the day the ferry launch foundered but it is understood that the fact that the launch is embedded in the soft mud has rendered salvage work extremely difficult.

THIRTY SIX TO-DAY



Emperor Hirohito of Japan celebrates his 36th birthday to-day. He ascended the throne in November 1923.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2-27/32d.
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London Silver Market

(From Our Own Correspondent)
London, April 28.
London silver prices to-day were up 3/16 as follows—
April 27 April 28
Spot.....20-1/4 20-7/16
Forward.....20-5/16 20-1/2

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AMAZING ABDICATION STORY

Full Blast Of Calumny

REVIEW OF SENSATIONAL BOOK

We re-print from the "Malaya Tribune," a review from London of a book which deals with the abdication of the Duke of Windsor when he was King.

This is not the book by Geoffrey Dennis, published by William Heinemann, "Coronation Commentary" concerning which the Duke of Windsor's solicitors have taken legal action.

The review is as follows:—

"With the coronation of King George VI only a month away, something of a politico-literary sensation has been created here by publication of what purports to be the real, intimate, complete inside story of the strange events leading to the abdication of King George's predecessor, Edward VIII, now the Duke of Windsor.

The authors of this indiscreet chronicle are Frank Owen and Reginald John Thompson, both leader writers of "The Daily Express," owned by Lord Beaverbrook, who proved to be one of Edward's few staunch defenders among the press when the show-down came.

Their book, "His Was the Kingdom," is a spirited attack on Mr. Stanley Baldwin and the Archbishop of Canterbury, and may be accepted as a sign that some

Britons are unwilling to forget the man who once was their King.

CONVENIENT STICK

The authors are convinced that there was a conspiracy against King Edward, and that the Simpson scandal was merely the most convenient stick with which to beat him down and out of the country.

On the other hand, they do not subscribe to the romantic theory that he was a too-perfect King. They concede that he meant to improve the lot of his people in Wales and elsewhere, but they add that he had only vague ideas as to how to do so about it.

Taking up the allegations that Edward was too pro-German and too pro-American for Great Britain's taste, the authors say:

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Photograph taken after the arrival of the Hong Kong Clipper. They are, left to right:—Mr. A. J. R. Moss, Hon. Com. J. B. Newill, Mr. N. L. Smith, Officer Administering the Government and Mr. H. M. Bixby. (Photo by Mee Cheung).

Estate Of Late Mr. G. H. Potts

George Hutton Potts, alias George Frederick Potts, late of 5, Alburgh Hall, May Road, Hong Kong, who died at the age of 74 on January 4, 1937, at Swatow, left local estate sworn under \$41,300 a petition by Paul Mary Hodgson, solicitor, for grant of probate of the will has been granted by the Supreme Court.

Brahazon Disney Gerrard Barlow, late of Fulshaw Lodge Christchurch Road Cheltenham in the County of Gloucester, Dalren, Manchoukuo, left local estate to the value of \$5,100. He died at Dalren on December 12, 1936. On the application of Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, solicitor, the lawful attorney, sealing of certified copy of letters of administration to the estate is granted.

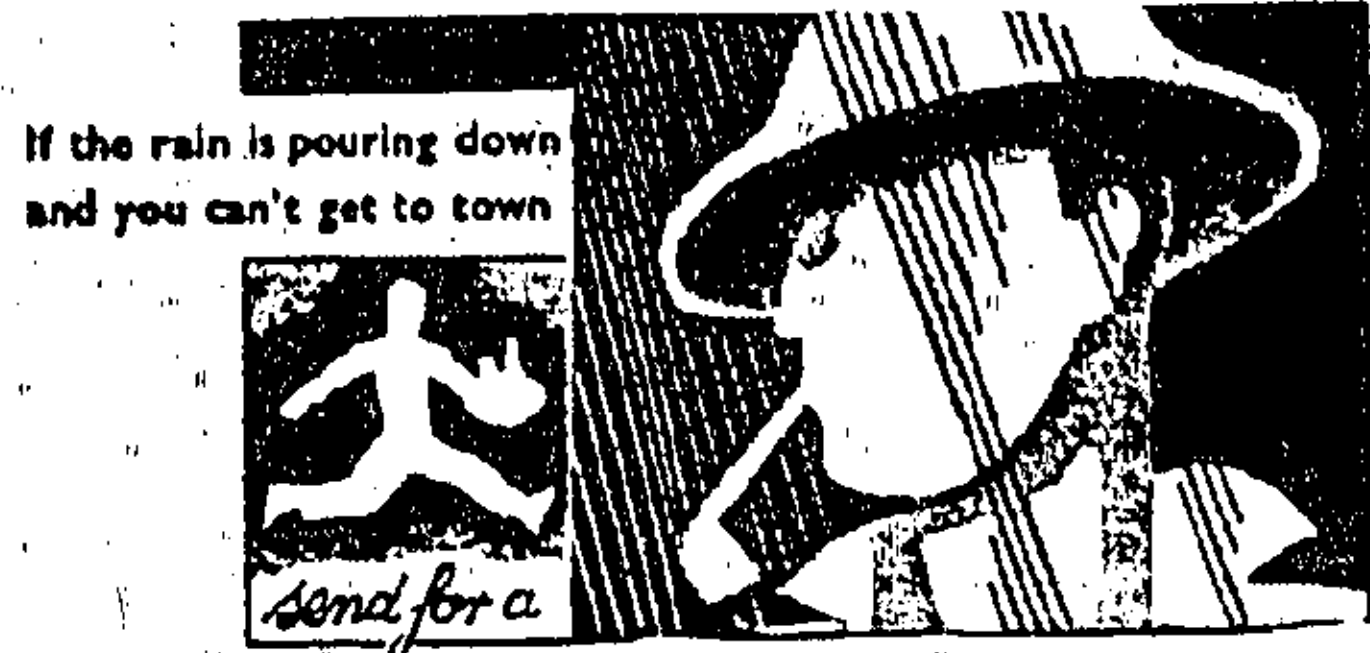
Yue Sun Chung, retired merchant, who died on or about June 15, 1936, at the age of 83, left local estate sworn under \$6,100, and a petition by Mrs. Yue Wong Shi, widow, of 124 Connaught Road Cen-

tral for grant of letters of administration to the estate has been granted. Yue Sun Chung was formerly of Tai Cheng Pong Village, Toi Shan District, in the Province of Kwangtung.

Local estate sworn under \$3,300 was left by the late Bau (or Pau) King, grocer, of 122 Connaught Road West, who died intestate at Teung Wo Hospital on November 21, 1932, at the age of 87. A petition by Pau Koon Tat, of 10, Village Road, second floor, Wongnei-chong, for grant of letters of administration to the estate has been granted.

HEALTH RETURNS

One case each of diphtheria, cerebro-spinal fever, and dysentery were notified to the local Health authorities on Tuesday.



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ANNUAL MEETING

China Provident Loan And Mortgage

YEAR'S WORKING SHOWS LOSS

The annual meeting of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd. was held in the Jacobean Room of the Hong Kong Hotel yesterday.

Mr. S. M. Churn addressing the meeting, said:—

Before we deal with any of the business of the meeting, I think it is proper that I should avail of the occasion to place on record an expression of our deep regret at the death of our late Chairman, Mr. Carlos Augusto da Roza. As Chairman of Directors since February 1929, the late Mr. da Roza always took a very keen interest in the affairs of the Company. In his demise we have lost a most helpful and resourceful adviser, one who would be difficult to replace. May I ask you, Gentlemen, to stand for a moment in silence as a mark of your respect to his memory.

The chairman continued:—

From the profit and loss account, you will observe that the net result of the year's working is a loss of \$27,129.59. This unfavourable showing is traceable to two main causes: firstly, a smaller turnover of business, and secondly, though not less important, the unduly severe competition with which we have had to cope, leading to unremunerative rates for storage, both of which factors have contributed to a shrinkage in the gross earnings. Towards the close of the year, however, there were noticeable signs of improvement, and it is to be hoped that this favourable feature will develop during the present year.

Coming to the balance sheet, I think you will find that this statement has been rendered in the usual form, and it seems only necessary for me to remark that the transfer of the sum of \$465,110.85 from "Special Reserve for Depreciation of Property" to "Property Account" is the precursor of a scheme of re-arrangement of the capital of the Company which your Board has under consideration, and in reference to which further information will be given to shareholders in due course.

During the year Mr. King resigned his position as Secretary of the Company, and Mr. Gutierrez was appointed acting Secretary. The Board has since appointed him to the substantive post.

I feel I ought also to say that although the year's working has not proved fruitful of profits, your staff has worked loyally and diligently, and it would not be out of place if I were to suggest that an appreciation of their services be recorded.

With these remarks, gentlemen, I formally propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented.

Mr. W. J. Carroll seconded and the motion was carried, unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS

Sir Robert Ho Tung and Mr. Li Tse-fong were re-elected to the Directorate on the motion of Mr. W. J. Carroll, seconded by Mr. M. H. Figueredo.

Messrs. Linstead and Davis and Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr. A. H. Carroll, seconded by Mr. S. A. Lopes.

Present at the meeting were: Mr. S. M. Churn (Chairman), Messrs. T. B. Wilson, P. M. Hodgson, N. V. A. Croucher, J. P. Braga, and Li Tse-fong (Directors), Messrs. W. J. Carroll, A. H. Carroll, J. Tsau Hung, M. H. Figueredo, S. A. Lopes and A. E. Kew.

For the theft of an iron spanner from a ship, Lau Kam-hing, 28, who was caught by a district watchman while trying to dispose of the article, was charged before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday and was bound over.

SUICIDE ALLEGED

Shortly after he was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries received when he fell from the third floor verandah of No. 28 Western Street, a man, Lai Yuen-kong, died. It is alleged that Lai threw himself from the verandah to end his life.

CHARCOAL MURDER CASE

Witness Unable To Attend Court

Evidence in support of the Crown Case occupied the whole of yesterday when the hearing of the Charcoal Murder Case, in which Chiu Yuk-fai, draughtsman employed at the Public Works Department is accused of the killing of a woman, Cheung Yuk-ching, alias Cheung Sam-ku, at No. 323 Reclamation Street on February 23 last, was continued before His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, K.C., and jury comprising Messrs. J. L. Robinson (foreman), C. R. Wilson, Yew Man-chiu, B. W. Simmons, M. B. Reyes, E. A. Kinsey and F. J. H. Jenner.

The case for the Crown was conducted by Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Attorney General, whilst the accused is defended by the Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jnr. instructed by Mr. D. L. Strellett.

When hearing was resumed Dr. Bernardo de Sousa testified that Mr. Grimes was ill, and unable to attend court. Mr. Grimes' deposition was then put in as evidence.

Wong Hop, married woman, of No. 325 Reclamation Street, second floor, testified that she saw accused and a woman with wavy hair walking up the common staircase to the third floor of No. 323. The trap-door was locked at the time, and she heard a woman's voice, crying out "save life".

Wong Lai-tsang, residing at No. 323 Reclamation Street, second floor, also gave evidence to the effect that she heard cries of "save life" from the floor above.

FIRE BURNING

Mr. C. Brand, Officer in charge of Mongkok Fire Brigade, said that he went to No. 323 Reclamation Street third floor on February 28 after receiving a call. In the kitchen he found the accused and another Chinese male whom he thought was the cook. He saw a heap of firewood burning under a green door, which appeared to be put there for the purpose of covering something before the witness arrived.

Accused tried to stop witness from discovering the origin of the fire by saying that the fire was out and that there was no need for him to remain. Accused even put his hand on witness' chest to prevent him from entering. While examining the place witness turned over some debris and found the head of a human being. Immediately after this he looked around for accused who had already disappeared. Witness then informed the police.

INSPECTOR CAREY'S EVIDENCE

In the witness-box Insp. Carey said he arrived at 323 Reclamation Street at about 6.45 p.m. on February 28. He went to the kitchen and saw the debris as shown in the photograph.

Mr. Williams: On removing the basin what did you find?—The head of a human being.

When the body was being removed did you find anything?—At the sides of the body were two pieces of wood. When I looked into the charcoal I discovered the remnants of her clothing.

ACCUSED ARRESTED

Where did you arrest accused?—On February 29, I found accused at No. 409 Shanghai Street. I asked for his name and he gave it as Chiu. He was shown a photograph of himself after which he gave his name as Chiu Yuk-fai. I told him that I was arresting him for the murder of a Chinese female. Before I could caution him he said "I know" in Chinese.

Mr. D'Almada: Am I right in saying that accused gave you every assistance to look for To Wai-man?—I knew about To Wai-man before accused was arrested.

Did accused give information to Chinese officers with regard to To Wai-man?—I don't know.

After further evidence was given by Mr. T. Murphy, A.S.P., To Yue-ching, Chan Kwok-ying, and Dr. Dover, the case was adjourned till 10 o'clock this morning.

Owing to fact that Ho Ng, a P.W.D. coolie, who was a witness failed to appear to give evidence, the case in which Bachittar Singh and Joginder Singh, who were summoned for alleged assault on another Indian, Hira Singh, watchman of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, was adjourned till 2.15 p.m. on May 10, by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

IN THE COURTS

AMERICAN STOWAWAYS

Expulsion Order Made

Two young Americans, Jack R. Dilliner, 21, and Henry Nidever, 20, were brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning, charged with having entered the Colony without valid passports. Both men pleaded guilty and an expulsion order was made against them.

Det.-Sergeant Russell stated that arrangements were being made to send defendants out of the Colony.

NO WIRELESS LICENCES

A fine of \$30 was imposed on Lau Yu-fook, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday when he admitted a summons for having a radio without a licence on April 13.

Kwan Leung, of No. 398 Lockhart Road, was fined \$20 on a similar summons.

A warrant of distress was issued in the case of Mrs. Louey Tit-kew, of No. 310 Hennessy Road, first floor, on a similar summons. She pleaded that the set did not belong to her, and she could not pay the fine imposed.

TREE-CUTTER FINED

Li Ling, aged 34, was brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with being in possession of 47 catties of tree wood.

Li was sentenced to a fine of \$250 or three months' hard labour.

DINA HOUSE FINED

Dina House, Duddell Street, was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for failing to submit a full list of guests to the police on March 21. Mrs. Charlton, the manageress, appeared for the proprietors, Messrs. Ruttonjee, and pleaded guilty.

A fine of \$10 was imposed.

PICK-POCKET GAOLED

Chan Wai-kwan, who stole a purse from Wai Ting-kwai, was brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday and was sentenced to five months' hard labour. Defendant had previous convictions.

ROBBERY ON A JUNK

Woman Climbs Up Mast

A robbery, in which six men armed with revolvers decamped with \$130 in money and \$145 worth of jewellery, has been reported to the police.

Cheung Lam, 32 married woman, in her report stated that she was on her junk in Cheung Chau harbour on Tuesday night when robbers attacked her boat.

She was in her cabin with her son when she saw three men on the deck and shouted out: "who are you?" She closed the cabin door and getting out through the trap door of the cabin ran along to the mast of the ship and climbed up it.

Cheung called out "save life!" The three men then got on to a junk lying alongside and made off towards North Point. Three other armed men were in the junk.

NOVEL CARGO BY AIR

The Imperial Airways Service which arrived from Penang on Tuesday brought some interesting freight. One was a consignment of silver Coronation medals for Hong Kong, and another a film of the arrival at Croydon of the "Divine Wind," the aeroplane which recently made the epic flight from Japan. Both these consignments left London on April 7.

The Delphinus also carried the first freight for the through air journey to the Philippines—a consignment of margarine from Bangkok.



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Pineapple Pie
First, pineapple pie. The fruit combines deliciously with rice in this sweet, and the family will like it.

Bring a pint of milk to the boil, then add three table-spoonfuls of washed rice and sugar to taste. Cook very slowly for 2½ hours, pour into a buttered pie-dish and cover with a layer of sliced pineapple. Add a little of the juice, then sprinkle with sponge cake crumbs.

Reheat in the oven and serve with the hot fruit jug.

Sweet Batter Pudding

An excellent pudding is batter served with jam.

Ingredients: 1lb. flour, one egg, a pinch of salt, 1 pint milk, 2oz. sugar, 2oz. shredded suet, 3 table-spoonfuls apricot jam.

Add the salt to the flour, stir in the sugar and suet. Add the egg and milk, mix to a stiff batter, then allow to stand for half an hour.

Bake in a hot oven, Regulo mark 7, from fifteen to twenty minutes. Spread with warmed jam.

Orange Delight

This will soon become a favourite.

Ingredients: 8oz. flour, 2oz. margarine, a pinch of salt, one egg, two oranges, a table-spoonful of marmalade, one table-spoonful baking powder.

Grease a pudding basin, and put the marmalade at the bottom. Mix together the dry ingredients, add the creamed margarine and sugar. Add the beaten egg, the grated rind of one orange and the juice of both. Mix well, then pour into the greased basin, cover with a piece of greased paper, and steam for two hours.

Figs to Flavour

This pudding is very health-making. Soak 6oz. figs in cold water overnight, then cut up small.

Mix together 1lb. each of shredded suet, flour and breadcrumbs, add a pinch of salt, the chopped figs, two table-spoonfuls of sugar, and the grated rind of a lemon.

Bind with a beaten egg and a little milk, pour into a buttered basin and steam for three hours. Turn out and serve with custard.

With Coconut

All children will love this pudding with a coconut flavour. Mix together 2oz. each of desiccated coconut, flour, shredded suet, and sugar. Add 1oz. breadcrumbs, half a table-spoonful of baking powder, and the grated rind of half a lemon.

Bind with a beaten egg and a little milk, pour into a greased basin and steam for two hours. Turn out and serve with sweet white sauce.

STEWED FILLET STEAK

This is a delicious and tender method of cooking steak. It should be cooked in a shallow sauté dish, or in a covered frying-pan, in the oven or on a low heat on a hot-plate; it should not be put into a deep stew-pan or casserole. The steak should be about two inches thick. Put some butter or dripping into the frying-pan, put in the steak and seal quickly on both sides; then remove it. Then fry one or two onions, some diced celery, carrot and turnip, and put half of the vegetables at the bottom of the sauté dish. Put the steak on top, then the rest of the vegetables, with a bunch of parsley, pepper, salt, and a sprinkling of flour. Pour in enough stock just to cover the meat, cover closely, and steam gently for two hours. Put the steak on a hot dish with the vegetables drained from the gravy. Remove any excess fat from the gravy and thicken it a little if necessary; then pour it over the meat.

FISH AND TOMATO SAVOURY

Ingredients: 3 large slices of bread, white fish, 3 tomatoes.

Bake the fish with milk for ten minutes, and pour the milk off the fish over the bread, and when soft add the tomatoes, which have been skinned and mix well up with seasoning. Flake the fish;

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Secrets Of Good Cooking

One table-spoonful of vanilla to one quart of milk for custard, and two ounces of gelatine to one and three-quarter quarts of liquid.

In preparing for baking, mix dry materials in one bowl and liquids in another, combine them quickly, and put at once into the oven.

To separate the yolk of an egg from the white, make a hole in both ends of the egg. Then hold it upright, giving it a gentle shake, and the white will run out, leaving the yolk unbroken in the shell.

The best way to warm up a roast is to wrap it in thickly greased paper and keep it covered while in the oven. By having it covered the steam will prevent the meat from becoming hard and dry.

Prevent the frying eggs from spluttering and flying by adding a generous pinch of flower to the fat, and stirring it.

Use milk instead of water for making pie crust, which is to be served cold. It will keep crisp longer.

When making cake always mix the spices and baking powder with the flour before it is sifted.

Cream of tomato soup is not apt to curdle if a table-spoonful of cornstarch with a pinch of baking soda is mixed in the cream before it is added to the tomato mixture.

Don't peel apples for apple sauce. Wipe them well, cut up with peeling, add water, and cook till thoroughly soft, then rub the pulp through a coarse sieve.

When making apple pie, cut the apples in irregular pieces. They will not pack together as if sliced and will cook much quicker.

Grease sweet potatoes before they are put in the oven to bake; they will bake in half the time and the skins will be soft.

Turn out for about fifteen minutes. Turn out to cool, then spread thinly with jam. Whip a cupful of cream with a little icing sugar and a few drops of vanilla essence, spread between the two halves and sift icing sugar on the top.

butter a pie-dish, and fill with layers of fish and bread mixture until the dish is full, and bake in an oven till brown.

New Tripe Recipes

Tripe is nourishing and cheap and should be used more often than it is on the daily menu. Here are two new recipes well worth trying.

FRENCH TRIPE

You will need 1lb. cooked tripe for this and be sure that you get the white coloured tripe—not the grey honeycombed kind. Cut the tripe into two-inch square pieces. Heat 2 table-spoonfuls butter in a pan and fry two medium-brown in colour, then add the tripe, three table-spoonfuls vinegar or lemon juice, and pepper and salt to season. Stir over the fire a few minutes, then serve heaped up in a dish with a border of mashed potatoes round it.

TRIPE ROLL

Get a long piece of cooked white tripe weighing about 1½ to 2 lb. Slice 8 small onions and fry lightly in butter, then add to them 1 teacup of breadcrumbs, pepper and salt and a pinch of powdered herbs. Bind with a little bit of butter. Spread stuffing on tripe, roll up tie with thick white thread. Put into a buttered fireproof dish or casserole pour over 1 pint milk, add a table-spoonful butter and bake in a good oven for 30 minutes or so. Remove thread, add six or seven boiled small onions and serve very hot.

Cinnamon Tea Cake

Cream ½ lb. butter and 1 table-spoonful sugar. Sift two cupfuls flour and mix with two table-spoonfuls cream of tartar, one table-spoonful bicarbonate soda, quarter-teaspoonful salt, one small cupful milk.

Take two eggs, reserving half the white of one. Add the beaten egg to milk, add to the cream butter and sugar and add sifted flour. Bake in shallow tin in a brisk oven for 10 minutes, then slowly for 20 to 25 minutes.

While baking, mix half-teaspoonful cinnamon and two table-spoonfuls crystal sugar, and get butter ready. While hot, split tea-cake, butter it, and sprinkle with spiced sugar. Replace the other half of tea cake.

Spread top with butter and sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon. Return to oven and reheat. Serve hot, cut in pieces.

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Youth In Evolution

Mr. W. Lange delivered a lecture on "Youth In Evolution" at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Canton, yesterday. He said:—

In one way or the other, the question of education of youth has gained wide importance during the last few decades. No longer is one content to apply tradition-honoured methods of education, but one is treading new paths everywhere.

The youth in Germany is in a process of evolution, i.e. in a process of being re-modelled in a gradual and painless way. A generation is to be reared which faces its future duties of forming the destinies of the nation in a responsible way. In order to do this, responsibility must first be firmly rooted in this generation. The ideals must become instincts. The process which is to crown the work is to change materialism to idealism.

There is a good deal of misconception in foreign countries current about education of the youth in Germany. The complaint is made that the young child is taken away from its home, and brought up much like a soldier in camp.

THE DIFFERENT STAGES
Briefly the child passes through the following stages: He is left entirely in the hands of his parents up to the age of 6. At the age of 6 the boy enters into the "German Youngsters Organisation."

From the age of 14 to 18, the boys enter the "Hitler Youth Organisation," and the next formation which a boy enters is the Labour Service, where he is brought into contact with every class of fellow-national, and learns no longer to tax a person according to his social standing or the wealth of his parents, but according to his own individual capacities.

It has been made a law, that the days from Monday to Friday are reserved for school. Saturdays are entirely at the disposal of the Youth Organisations, while Sun-

days are kept for the family, thus never allowing the family spirit to suffer.

YOUTH EXPERIENCES

In conclusion I want to tell you about a film I saw the other day in Hong Kong, entitled "Youth experiences the Fatherland." This film was taken in Germany, when the Fuehrer had summoned German Youth from all parts of the world to come to Germany, and see their country. There were also many young Germans from China, some of them that had never seen their country before. They were first all assembled in a huge camp in one of the most beautiful parts of Northern Germany, where Hitler and other leaders came to visit them, and to tell them of the plans and ideals in Germany. After they had all assembled, they were sent all over the country in huge buses. It was a moving sight to see these boys gazing wonderingly at the beautiful spots they were shown, asking over and over again "Is this my country?" "Are these my people?" The enthusiasm with which they were greeted in every town and hamlet to which they had come, the hospitality they experienced will surely be an everlasting impression for them, which they will take out, back to their guest countries.

GRAF ZEPPELIN DEPARTS

Friedrichshafen, April 27.
The airship, Graf Zeppelin, left here on Tuesday at 8.20 p.m. bound for South America, in charge of Captain Von Schiller. All berths were occupied. Among the passengers, who consisted mainly of Germans, English and Americans, was the Brazilian, Admiral Antonio Schorch. The airship carries 300, kilos of freight, consisting mostly of spare machine parts.

"IDEAL HOME" OPENED

Duke And Duchess Of Gloucester

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester opened, at Olympia, the Daily Mail's twenty-first Ideal Home Exhibition.

Thereafter their Royal Highnesses spent an hour and a half inspecting, with the fullest interest and delight, the main features of the vast and infinitely varied show. And, at the end of their tour, they voiced truly royal praise of all they had seen.

"It is a hundred splendid exhibitions in one," said the Duke. And the Duchess declared: "It is a wonderful achievement—far exceeding all I had expected it to be."

FRESH FASCINATIONS
Midway in their inspection they were joined by the Earl of Derby, who, later, was among 350 guests at a luncheon given to celebrate the "coming of age" of the Ideal Home Exhibition.

Wherever the Duke and Duchess turned they found new surprises, fresh fascinations, and the tangible expression of ideas which both charmed and astonished them.

They saw homes of the long-ago recreated. The had glimpses of palace rooms and of the dim depths of wattlehuts; peeped into kitchens typical of those within which women of half-a-dozen different nations pass half of their lives—very homely kitchens, bright with burnished brass and shining pottery, sweet with plain wood scoured by long-vanished hands, snug and warm.

SIMPLE COMFORT

They marked, passing on, how in a thousand ways of gradual evolution the ideal of simple

HEIRS TO A FORTUNE?

Evidence Found In New Zealand

Wanganui, N.Z.—The discovery of an old Bible—the missing link in evidence—it is hoped will enable the heirs of Peter Taylor to establish their claim to the money he left. Peter Taylor died in Holland early in the last century and left, so the story runs, four steel chests of money to a Scottish nephew with the proviso that if the heir died first the money was to remain untouched for one hundred years and then be distributed to his male descendants. Taylor's object was to frustrate his brother's chances of succession. Many years ago, descendants of Taylor in New Zealand placed documents attesting their descent in the hands of Ministers of the Crown. But there was a gap, and it is believed that an old Bible, found by chance at Wanganui, covers the missing period with its entries of 18th and 19th century births. The Bible is to be sent with the other documents to England.

comfort has been transcended by the idea of the luxurious in everyday living—luxury that once was the prerogative of kings and men of great wealth, and is to-day put by the magic of mechanised industry within the reach of the majority.

They perceived, too, how many an ancient craft, touched still with the pristine beauty of patient toil, yet flourishes in this land—(shall not the wooden spinning wheel go whirling on when all the mighty cog of this Machine Age are motionless in rust?)—and discovered scores of modernity's most ingenious "gadgets" for saving labour and multiplying leisure.

"I never dreamed," the Duchess said, "there were so many things made to-day both beautiful and cheap."

ATTACKS REPULSED

More Protests Sent To Rebels

Bayonne, Apr. 27.
The Basque Government Press Bureau claims that the insurgent offensive in the Durango sector has been brilliantly repulsed.

It is also claimed that the Basques are holding back the insurgents from the Elbar sector to the coast.

SCANDINAVIAN OUTCRY

Oslo, Apr. 27.
The Governments of Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Finland have simultaneously protested to General Francisco Franco's representative at Lisbon against the stopping of various Scandinavian vessels by insurgent warships.

The Norwegian Note asks what measures will be taken to secure the resumption of these acts, and reserves the right to demand reparation for loss.

The protest recalls that Scandinavian vessels have been forced to proceed to Ceuta to discharge their cargoes.

BASQUE ARMY

Bilbao, Apr. 27.
President Aguirre has issued a decree creating a Basque regular army in which all existing formations will be incorporated. The list of military commands will be revised and there will be a new commander-in-chief.

BOMBING AT MADRID AND VALENCIA

Valencia, April 27.

Valencia was shelled for half an hour from the sea this morning probably by cruisers lying off the shore in dense fog. The casualties are not known but some damage was done. Madrid was again severely shelled this morning at close intervals during the day. The inhabitants were increasingly using underground means of transport. Today's tentative estimates are 25 killed, 60 wounded. Government aircraft are unable to locate the insurgent batteries which frequently alter their range.

TOWN CAPTURED

San Sebastian, April 27.
Continuing the advance north of Elbar, the Nationalist troops captured the important town of Marguina on Tuesday afternoon. The villages of Echevarria, Banos de Ubeaga, and Bolivar, north and south of Marguina, were likewise occupied by Nationalist troops. Banos de Ubeaga is situated on the road from Marguina to Lequeitio and is only ten kilometres from the latter coast town.

DUAL ATTACK ON VALENCIA

Valencia, April 27.
The city of Valencia suffered two enemy attacks on Tuesday, one from the air and the other from the sea. Shortly before 7 a.m., Nationalist planes, mostly bombers accompanied by light reconnoitring planes broke through a barrage of

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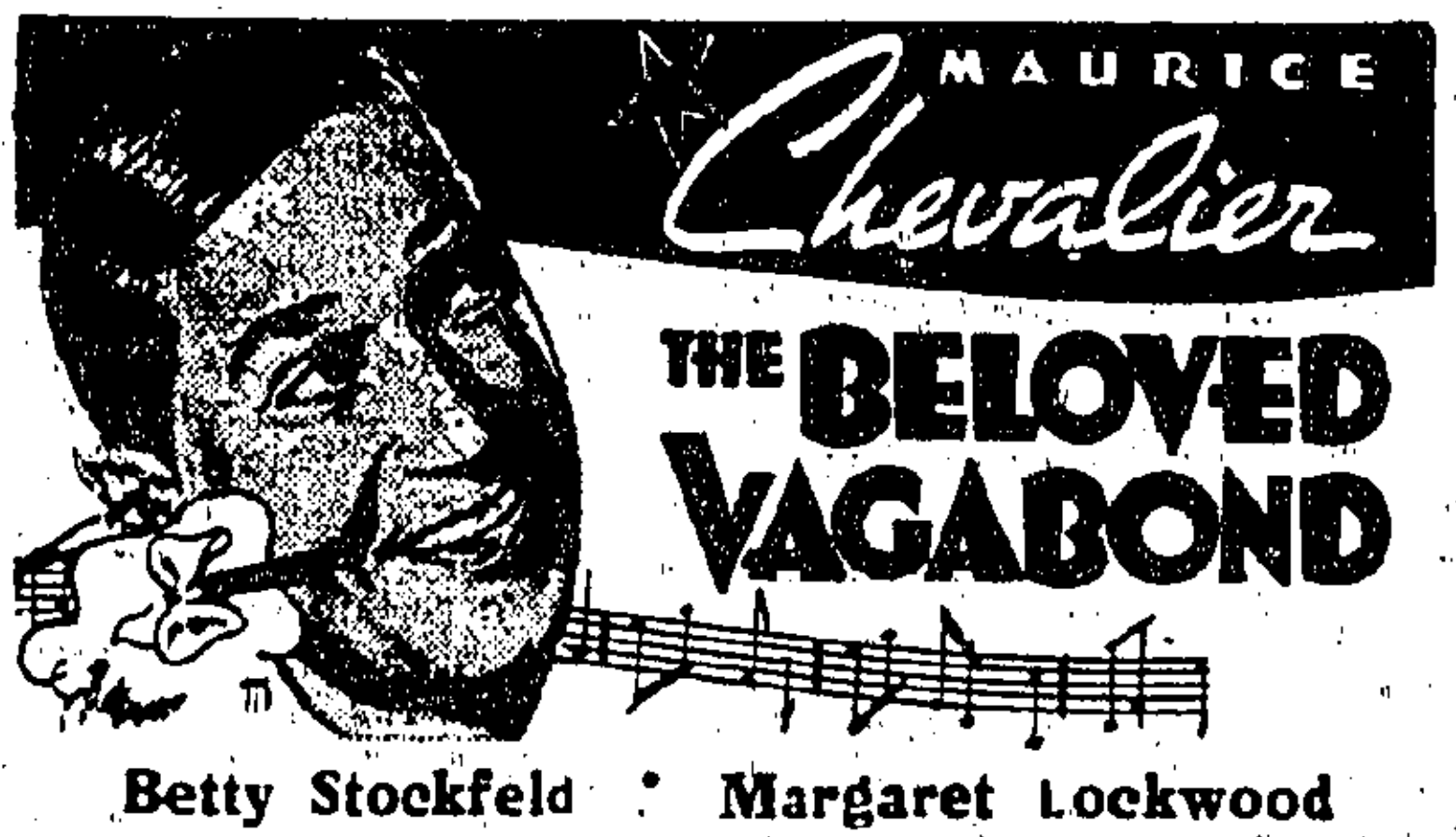
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fire or anti-aircraft guns. They bombed the city for about half an hour and then departed in a southern direction. The bombs caused considerable damage and killed numerous persons. The planes had hardly left and street life was being resumed when Nationalist warships suddenly appeared and shelled the city. The number of victims of this attack was exceptionally great since the population, not expecting another attack on the same day, crowded the streets.

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"INVITATION to the WALTZ"

BABIES CRYING ROOM

Installation In Australian Theatre

A crying-room for babies is being installed in the new Regal Picture Theatre at Gosford, a sea-side holiday resort, about 50 miles from Sydney. It will be the first in New South Wales.

The room will be cleverly constructed to permit mothers with fretful babies to hear and see the talking films while no sound can escape into the theatre itself.

It is believed that the Windsor Theatre, in Melbourne, is the only other theatre in Australia which has this feature.

No theatres in Sydney have so far been equipped with crying-rooms. An enterprising showman in a small town in Ontario, Canada, the province which owns the Dionne Quintuplets, was the first in the American continent to install this improvement.

NORTH OF NOME

Bleak Alaska, which has grimly refused to bend to the will of civilization, provides the background for Jack Holt's new Columbia picture, "North of Nome," which opens at the Alhambra Theatre to-day.

The story concerns a seal poacher named John Raglan, who cannot understand why he should not be permitted to hunt seals on the islands owned by 'large' corporations. In an effort to elude his arch enemy, Haage, who has been hi-jacking his furs, Raglan strands himself on an island. Here, during a heavy storm, Raglan is able to rescue the survivors of a foundered ship, among whom are a director of the corporation owning the island, his daughter, her suitor and several others.

How Raglan works out the salvation of all concerned reportedly makes for a dramatic, action-filled picture. William Nigh directed "North of Nome."

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—"Craig's Wife"
QUEEN'S:—"The Beloved Vagabond"
ORIENTAL:—"Down The Stretch"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—"North of Nome"
MAJESTIC:—"Adventure In Manhattan"
STAR:—"Peg Of Old Drury"

Coming

KING'S:—"The Green Pastures"
QUEEN'S:—"Charlie Chan At The Opera"
ORIENTAL:—"The Devil Is A Sissy"
ALHAMBRA:—"The Holy Terror"
MAJESTIC:—"The Garden of Allah"
STAR:—"Invitation To The Waltz"

THE BELOVED VAGABOND

Maurice Chevalier's "The Beloved Vagabond," a continental comedy romance based on the famous novel by W. J. Locke, is showing at the Queen's Theatre to-day.

The irrepressible Maurice is surrounded in this Toeplitz production with an impeccable cast of international favorites, among them Betty Stockfeld, Margaret Lockwood, Desmond Tester and Austin Trevor. Kurt Bernhardt directed the film from a screen play treatment of Locke's novel by Hugh Mills, Walter Creighton and Arthur Wimperis.

The story, readers of the novel will recall, is set against the contrasting backgrounds of tinsel London-court life and the French peasant country-side. It concerns the gay, carefree Gaston de Nerac, played by Chevalier, who renounces his claim to the hand of Joanna Rushworth in favour of his wealthy rival, the Comte de Verneuil, who is in a position to save her father from financial ruin. In an effort to forget the disappointing love affair, de Nerac roams through France, meets up with the gentle Blanche, and joins with her in her vagabond "Orchestra Paragot," singing and dancing for coins in village streets and country.

CRAIG'S WIFE

A transformed Rosalind Russell makes her appearance in Columbia's picturization of George Kelly's Pulitzer Prize play, "Craig's Wife," showing to-day at the King's Theatre with John Boles in the male lead. Instead of a charming, star is seen in the role of a grim, implacable woman who sweeps relentlessly to the goal that is her ruin.

"Movie-goers have known Miss Russell since the middle of 1935, when she made her first screen appearance in the comedy success "No More Ladies." She has subsequently been seen in light roles in "Forsaking All Others," "China Seas," "Rendezvous," "It Had To Happen," and "Under Two Flags." Supporting Miss Russell and Boles in "Craig's Wife" are Bullie Burke, Jane Darwell, Dorothy Wilson, Alma Kruger, Thomas Mitchell, Raymond Walburn and Robert Allen, Mary C. McCall, Jr., wrote the screen play.

ADVENTURES IN MANHATTAN

Jean Arthur and Joel McCrea, handsome a screen team as ever charmed an audience, romp gaily through the season's most diverting comedy-romance, "Adventure in Manhattan," which opened yesterday at the Majestic Theatre. In the wake of her personal triumphs in "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town" and "The Ex-Mrs. Bradford," Jean Arthur once again displays her clever versatility as a dramatic actress and subtle comedienne.

Supporting Miss Arthur and McCrea are Reginald Owen, Herman Bing, Thomas Mitchell, Victor Kilian, John Galloway and George Cooper.

Amazing Abdication Story

(Continued from Page 1)

"PRO-GERMAN"

A story was circulated that Edward was pro-German and that Mrs. Simpson was the Nazi missionary. It derived wholly from Edward's natural affinity for the race of his origin, his respect as a soldier for a valiant enemy and Mr. Simpson's private personal friendship with the German Ambassador, Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, and his friends. It was powerfully used, sub rosa, to influence trade-union circles against King Edward.

Edward lost friends. He behaved brusquely to old faithful servants of his father. At Sandringham, especially, he fired (dismissed) old retainers with a high-speed American efficiency that could hardly endear him to the neighbourhood. He brought American chefs into his household—and at the end of a month he pitched them out as being inefficient.

"BROKE HIM DOWN"

Edward, according to his present friendly examiners, never understood the English people and never appreciated the immense hidden strength of the middle class and their canons of respectability.

"They broke him down as they broke down Parnell and Wilks," the authors report of Edward. "All the ballyhoo of forty years—and he was Prince Charming all the way—did not survive ten days of full blast calumny. Mothers, who had seen in their own sons a replica Prince of Wales, were offended by the sudden knowledge that he was about to marry a woman who had divorced two husbands and was an American."

Bishop Blunt, of Bradford, whose remarks about King Edward's lack of churchliness were converted by the British Press into a criticism of the King's relations with Mrs. Simpson, was unwittingly a tool of more important people, according to Messrs. Owen and Thompson.

To them it now appears plain that "an understanding, maturing into a plan, had long been in existence between certain powerful leaders in the community to bring the King to a more subservient state. The view was expressed that, unless his wings were clipped now, there would be more serious trouble later."

"It is impossible to believe that all the implications of the wing-clipping business had not been thoroughly thought out. The situation was studied—and the plan went forward."

"BANGED THE TABLE"

The authors detail the complex negotiations that led to Edward's abdication. One night at Buckingham Palace Edward "banged his fist on a table and shouted to his Prime Minister: 'I am the first man in the land, and apparently the only man in the land who is not permitted to marry the woman of his choice.'"

But the bogey of a King's party was brought into operation, and thereby Baldwin's Tories won the co-operation of Clement R. Attlee's Labourites "who have lived with the ghost of Fascist dictatorship so long that they cannot discern the very substantial form of Mr. Baldwin's dictatorship." The result was that "King Edward was pushed from his place with less fuss than Mr. J. H. Thomas."

CONSPIRACY OF SILENCE

Owen and Thompson are critical of the voluntary censorship which Fleet Street imposed on the Simpson case until the abdication crisis broke. They quote the "New York Herald Tribune" as saying that this conspiracy of silence exploded in a governmental crisis that might never have been allowed to develop if the British Press had treated Mrs. Simpson by sounder standards of news values. The authors echo the "Herald Tribune's" comment: "It is a lesson worth remembering."

Seeking to draw a moral from the whole sorry tale, the authors observe that Edward was a Prince whose "fame and reputation had been built up for forty years by all the weapons of modern propaganda. In ten days he was destroyed. They simply pulled away the props from under the monarchy—the Tory party, the Church and the 'heavy' government Press—and down came the King."

Bitterly the authors conclude one of the most remarkable books published in England this year: "If nobody believes any more in the theory of the Church's anointed, do not blame the atheists or the anarchists. Send the bill for that to the Archbishop."

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

Anniversaries and Holidays:— Birthday of Emperor of Japan, 1901. 33rd Day of Omer. St. Peter, Martyr. General Boulanger born, 1837. Sir T. Beecham born, 1879. Auctions.—Household furniture, at Lammer's Hong Kong Sales Room, 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas.
King's:—"Craig's Wife."
Queen's:—"The Beloved Vagabond."
Oriental:—"Down The Stretch."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"North Of Nome."
Majestic:—"Adventure In Manhattan."

Star:—"Peg Of Old Drury."
Lectures.—Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.; Professor Carl Wiggers on "Some Applications of Physiology to Medicine," at Hong Kong University, 5.30 p.m.

Meetings.—H. K. Philatelic Society, "S. C. M. Post" Board Room, 8.30 p.m.; Victoria Chess Club, at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.; T. H. Supper Meeting at Seamen's Institute, 7.30 p.m.; Annual Meeting, H.K.L.T.A., 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Alfred Samler Brown due; St. Andrew's Club "Open Night," 9 p.m.

Social.—Reception at Japanese Consul's Residence, 7 Conduit Road, noon to 1 p.m.; Civil Whist Drive, 9.20 p.m.; Cheero Club Contract Bridge and Mah Jong Drive, 8 p.m.; Women's Guild Games afternoon, in St. John's Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).
Moon.—III Moon, 19th. Day.
Sunrise.—5.53 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 00.24 and 10.31; Low at 04.25 and 18.20.

FRIDAY, APRIL 30

Anniversaries and Holidays:— St. Catharine of Siena, Franz Lehár born, 1870. A. E. Housman died, 1936.

Auctions.—Household furniture, at 5 "Aldburgh Hall," May Road, 10 a.m.

Cinemas.
King's:—"Craig's Wife."
Queen's:—"The Beloved Vagabond."
Oriental:—"The Devil Is A Sissy."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"North Of Nome."
Majestic:—"Adventure In Manhattan."
Star:—"Invitation To The Waltz"

Dances.—Diocesan School Old Boys' and Old Girls' Association Supper Dance, at Peninsula Hotel Rose Room.

Entertainments.—Organ Fund Concert, at St. John's Cathedral Hall, 8 p.m.

Lectures.—Helena May Christian Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.
Meetings.—Kowloon Chess Club, at St. Andrew's Hall, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Creditors' claims against The Hong Kong China Dock Co., Ltd. due.

Social.—Y.M.C.A. Sukiyaki Evening, in the West Lounge, Chow at 7.30 p.m.

Moon.—III Moon, 20th. Day.
Sports.—(See Page 10).
Sunrise.—5.54 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 10.06; Low at 4.02 and 17.35.

NATIONAL GALLERY FINDS "OLD MASTER"

A Veronese Work In Its Own Storeroom

Mr. Kenneth Clark, the Director of the National Gallery recently told the story of Paolo Veronese's picture, "The Magdalen Laying Aside Her Jewels," which, having lain in a storeroom for 60 years, has now been hung in Room 16 in the newly opened East Wing of the Gallery.

"The painting came to the National Gallery in 1875 as part of the Wynne Ellis bequest," Mr. Kenneth Clark said. "It was in rather a dirty condition and critics and ordinary lovers of painting never thought much about it. It was regarded as a rather fine painting by an artist who had copied Veronese's style. We kept it in the storeroom, where few saw it."

"But ever since I first saw it I had my suspicions. I said nothing about them; however, until the pictures were cleared and a number of experts had been consulted. The cleaning settled the painting's authenticity beyond doubt as an early example of Veronese's work."

Amongst the most famous of Paolo Veronese's pictures are "The Family of Darius at the Feet of Alexander," in the National Gallery, the "Adoration of the Magi," in the Dresden Gallery, and the "Feast in the House of Simon the Pharisee" in the Louvre.

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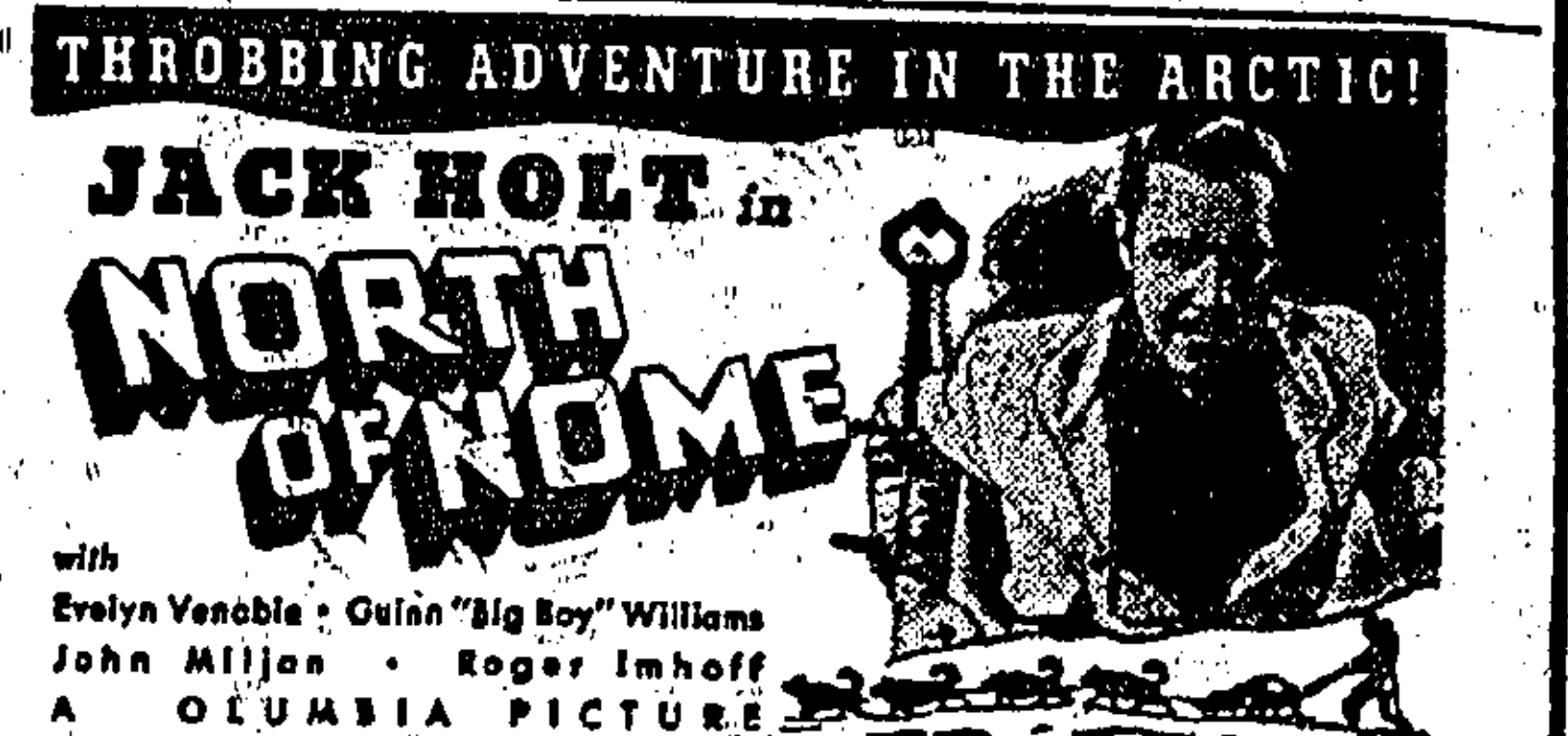


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Freddie Bartholomew apparently excels in any role that comes his way, now appears as a modern urchin of New York's lower East Side in "The Devil Is A Sissy" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

In the picture of contemporary boyhood in the great cities, Freddie co-stars with Jackie Cooper and Mickey Rooney. Ian Hunter and Peggy Conklin provide the romantic interest in a touching story that enters into the adventurous narrative of the boys.

Others in the cast are Gene and Kathleen Lockhart, Sherwood Bailey and Buster Glavin. The story was written by Rowland Brown.

With reference to the mysterious man who is said to go about throwing coals at dogs in "Highgate," it is said that local children are learning to bark.

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Says American Author

Auckland, N.Z.—"I have found the most beautiful spot in the world," says Fitzhugh Green, noted American author and biographer, who has returned to New Zealand to take up residence at the house he has had built on the Tongariro River, near Lake Taupo, world-famed fishing resort. Mr. Green came last year to spend ten days—and ended by remaining for the whole winter. A history of the United States Navy and biographies of prominent men are among his works.

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THE MILWAUKEE ROAD

SOUVENIR PROGRAMME OF CORONATION

**"Crown Has Achieved A New
And Greater Significance"**

DETAILS OF PROCESSIONS

London, Apr. 27. The Souvenir Programme for the Coronation, drawn up under the auspices of King George's Jubilee Trust, will be available to the public throughout the Empire tomorrow. In order to meet the Empire demand it has been necessary to prepare no fewer than twelve separate editions.

These facts were revealed by the Duke of Gloucester, who, as Chairman of King George's Jubilee Trust, presided at a luncheon at St. James' Palace to celebrate the publication of the programme.

Most of the 150 guests assisted in the preparation or distribution of the programme.

The Prince mentioned that the Overseas Edition had been despatched to the furthestmost parts of the world as long ago as February. This was followed by special editions prepared for Canada and Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and India, while more recently nearly 100,000 copies had been sent to the United States.

The Duke of Gloucester concluded by quoting from his own foreword to the programme: "If the people of the British Empire are brought into more intimate touch by the Coronation Ceremony, on that day and at that hour when they are all more than ever in the thoughts and prayers of Their Majesties, then indeed King George's Jubilee Trust will have performed a service."

MONARCHY FIRMLY ROOTED
Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Dominions, thanking the Duke of Gloucester for presiding, declared that the British monarchy had never been more firmly rooted than to-day in the soil of British democracy.

"The fact is due largely to the personalities of our Kings and Queens and the way in which they have identified themselves in the last quarter of a century with the fluctuating fortunes of the British people; and also in the way in which they have served their subjects."

"But during the past quarter of a century the Crown has achieved a new and greater significance. One of the changes that has been taking place is the growth of freedom throughout the Empire. The Dominions are partners of Great Britain in the British Commonwealth of free and equal nations, and during the process of change many old constitutional ties between the Dominions and this country have been broken. But one firm constitutional link remains—the Crown."

"The Crown is the symbol of the free association of the people of the Commonwealth."

"When His Majesty a fortnight hence is driving to the Abbey to assume the Crown, there will ride with him, and with Her Majesty, the heartfelt wishes and high hopes of his peoples scattered all around the earth," Mr. MacDonald asserted.

"These peoples desire to be able to follow every stage of the historic ceremony and two things will

enable them to do so; namely, the broadcast which has been arranged and the official programme," he concluded.

The programme is published in two editions; the standard edition, with a cover showing the Royal Coat-of-Arms in full colours, and the de luxe edition, printed in black and gold.

Each contains the details of the processions and special photographs of Their Majesties and members of the Royal Family.

The full text of the Abbey service is also published, together with "A Prayer for the King's Reign," by the Poet Laureate, John Masefield, a description and illustration of the regalia of the King and Queen, and an article by the late John Drinkwater, entitled "The King's Majesty," dealing with the significance of the Coronation to the British Empire.

MAKING EARLY START

The programme reveals that the procession of motor cars conveying certain members of the Royal Family and representatives of foreign powers will leave Buckingham Palace for Westminster Abbey as early as 8.40 a.m., on Coronation Day.

The carriage procession of the British Dominion Prime Ministers, the representatives of the India and colonial rulers, will follow from the Palace at 9.15 a.m. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, who will occupy the first of the eleven carriages in this procession, will be escorted by the Metropolitan Mounted Police. Each of the Dominion Prime Ministers will be escorted in his carriage by mounted troops drawn from the Coronation contingent of his own country.

Sir Muhammad Zafrullah Khan's carriage will be escorted by Indian cavalry. Troopers of the 16th and 5th Lancers will escort the colonial sultan's carriages.

THIRD PROCESSION

The third procession from Buckingham Palace will depart at 9.50 and will convey the Royal Family, with its escort. Queen Mary's carriage procession will leave Marlborough House at 10.10 a.m. and will consist of Her Majesty, in a glass coach, with her sister-in-law, the Queen of Norway.

The King and Queen will leave the Palace at 10.30 a.m. in the State Coach, drawn by Windsor greys, preceded and followed by an imposing array of prominent officers and troops, including in addition to the Sovereign's escort, escorts of the Dominion Colonial and Indian Army officers. The honorary Indian A.D.C.'s to the King will immediately precede the State Coach. The Duke of Gloucester and Kent, as the Principal A.D.C.'s to the King will follow the coach.

A royal salute of 41 guns will be fired at St. James' Park and a royal salute of 62 guns from the Tower of London will announce the actual moment of coronation at the Abbey.

In addition to the foregoing processions there will be also the Lord Mayor of London's and that of the Speaker of the House of Commons. The great procession after the

ROYAL ACADEMY EXHIBITION

Chinese Artists
Represented

London, Apr. 27. Two Chinese artists have pictures hung in this year's Royal Academy exhibition. They are the first Chinese ever thus honoured.

Miss Shou-Pi-yang has two pictures on view. She originally studied at Shanghai and came to England about eighteen months ago, and has since studied partly in England and partly in France. She has two exquisite studies—one of a Chinese bird of paradise, and the other of Chinese peonies in water colours painted on silk. These are in true Chinese classical style. It is understood that the hanging committee were most enthusiastic when they saw them.

T. H. Chu, the other artist, is a former pupil of the Royal Academy School, where he won six prizes and scholarships. He is showing a landscape of Moulay Idress, in Morocco, in a style somewhat modernistic, but the Chinese feeling in it is strongly perceptible.

Another Oriental exhibitor is the Siamese Prince Blarabong, who is showing a striking bronze portrait and head.

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U.S. FLOODS

New York, Apr. 27.

Fifteen persons are dead and five missing as the result of widespread floods in six Eastern States.

Enormous damage was done, but the flood waters are now receding, except in the Ohio River.

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Coronation ceremony will include dismounted representatives from all the defence services in the Empire, as well as 'mounted' units. It is timed to leave the Abbey at 2.15 and will reach Buckingham Palace at the end of a long route through the West End at 3.50 p.m.

On the return march the order of the carriages of the Prime Ministers, India and Burma representatives, and colonial rulers will be reversed, Mr. Baldwin's carriage being the last, and immediately preceding the Royal Processions.

The entire route will be lined by men of the Navy, Army and Air Force.

Fifty-five foreign countries will be represented.

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NATIONAL DEFENCE CONTRIBUTION

**Resolution Agreed To By
House Of Commons**

London, Apr. 27.

The House of Commons to-day agreed to the Budget resolution authorising the imposition of the National Defence Contribution, otherwise known as the Growth of Profits Tax.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said he was convinced the outlined scheme was right and he had no intention of withdrawing his proposals, in spite of the opposition from members on his own side of the House.

That part of the proposals not yet formulated was sufficiently important to justify him in saying that no accurate or sufficient judgment could be formed upon it until the House and country had fuller information. He regarded the proposal as mild and moderate and did not think it would impose an intolerable burden on industry.

Mr. Chamberlain said he considered the suggested estimate of a yield from the tax totalling from £50,000,000 to £250,000,000 as fantastic, and intimated he was prepared to reconsider the profits standard basing it on the average profits from 1933 to 1935.

Mr. Chamberlain was fully aware of the very great anxiety in many quarters and the disturbance to securities. But he considered these disturbances very exaggerated and based on insufficient information. More importance was attached to these things than they deserved. It was only necessary to observe, he said, what was going on in other countries where no National Defence Contribution existed, to realise that a number of events coincided to render the markets of the world peculiarly sensitive at present.

WILLING TO RECONSIDER

Referring back to the profits standard, based on average profits over a period of three years past, the Chancellor said he was quite prepared to consider his selection of the years 1933 to 1935, either by way of a choice being given to the taxpayer as between different years, or by adding other years to those suggested. There

might even be a combination of both schemes.

Mr. Chamberlain intimated that he would provide for the variation of the rate of interest which would be regulated in relation to the capital standard. He explained that capital, for purposes of the Defence Contribution, did not mean share capital but a computed figure representing assets, subject to certain adjustments. It will be recalled that the Growth of Profits Tax may be levelled either on profits or on the capital of the company.

PREVENTING INJUSTICE

He was now obtaining information and was in personal contact with persons of great financial and industrial experience, said Mr. Chamberlain. He had also received communications from a number of important bodies, such as the Associated Chambers of Commerce and the Chamber of Shipping, while the Federation of British Industries was collecting a large body of information. He would examine their proposals with greatest sympathy, the Chancellor declared, and would do his best in the light of what they told him to meet all difficulties and prevent inequalities and injustice.

Finally, he added, he would make his decision as soon as possible.

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GENERATIONS OF GENERALS

Munich, April 27.

A rare case of grandfather, father and son holding the rank of General and all still alive has just occurred in the Bavarian family, Von Bomhard. The senior of the family is a 98-year-old veteran from the Franco-German war and who attended the proclamation of the German Emperor at Versailles in 1871. The 72-years-old son is also a retired General and the grandson Adolf Von Bomhard, who is 48, has just been promoted to the rank of General of Police.

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King And Queen Travel On Royal Barge

London, April 27. For the first time in a hundred years the King and Queen made a journey by water when they voyaged down the Thames in the new Royal Barge to Westminster Pier to open the National Maritime Museum at Greenwich. Princess Elizabeth accompanied her parents. The whole length of the Thames along which the barge was escorted by four motor torpedo boats proceeded with thick cheering spectators. His Majesty wore Naval uniform and was accompanied by the First Lord of the Admiralty, Sir Samuel Hoare.

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KING'S SPEECH

London, April 27. Something of what the River Thames has meant to London of the past as a highway linking the City and its merchants with Westminster and its parliament and leading out to the seas, beyond where British mariners carried freights of Britain's commerce

were recalled to-day by the King and Queen's triumphant progress in an Admiral's barge with Naval escort down the river to Greenwich where the King opened the Naval escort down the river to Greenwich where the King opened the National Maritime Museum. The day was bright and sunny and great crowds had gathered along the embankments on bridges and wharves and decks of ships moored alongside. Their cheers mingled with screams of ships sirens and the roaring of aeroplanes overhead.

In declaring the museum open, the King said that but for the enterprise, courage and character of the British common-wealth of nations would never have come into existence. The qualities of Drake, Nelson and Franklin were as necessary to-day as ever in the past and it was as well that exploits of men such as these should be recalled so that the part which seamen had played in Britain's history might never be forgotten.

British Wireless.

HONG KONG CLIPPER'S EPOCH MAKING FLIGHT

(Continued from Page 1)

OFFICIAL WELCOME

In extending a welcome to Capt. La Porte and members of the crew, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Mr. N. L. Smith, said:—

Captain La Porte: In the name of the British Colony of Hong Kong I offer you and your crew our warmest welcome and our congratulations on the successful completion of this historic flight.

"To-day we celebrate the final welding of perhaps the most important link in the chain of world communication. Between them the Pan-American Airways and the Imperial Airways serve a total distance of about 22,000 miles and it is very appropriate that, by another miracle of modern science, it has been made possible for today's proceedings to be directly audible throughout the United States of America as well as in Australia and other nearer places.

"One is sometimes tempted to wonder whether the speeding up of life entailed in what we call the progress of civilization has in fact added anything to man's happiness; but one thing is certain, that any lessening of the physical gap that divides nation from nation, whether by flying or by wireless, is the surest means of reducing those national misunderstandings which in the past have too often led to animosities and even to wars.

"Hong Kong in only a tiny place but our magnificent harbour has been on the map for quite a long time. I wonder how many of my more distant listeners realise that our annual ocean-going tonnage figure is only a little behind that of New York and Liverpool.

THANKS AND CONGRATULATIONS

"And now it is our hope that Hong Kong will be equally on the air map, with London in one direction only nine days away and with New York in the other direction only six and a half days away. For this happy situation we have largely to thank the organizing genius of Mr. Bixby and the staff of the Pan-American Airways, and the skill and courage of you, Captain La Porte, and your crew. Again I offer you our welcome and our congratulations and I trust that the new service will prove to be not only commercially successful but also yet another bond of Anglo-American goodwill." (Applause.)

CAPTAIN'S THANKS

At the conclusion of His Excellency's address of welcome, Capt. La Porte said: "Ladies and gentlemen, we consider it a great honour and a pleasure to come to Hong Kong and close this final gap that is going to give us in the future round-the-world transportation. We hope also that it will bind the friends we have here already and secure any new friends we shall make.

"Our trip to-day was uneventful. It completed our flight number 103 from San Francisco across the Pacific to the Orient. We hope to do as well in the future. Members of the flight crew feel that it is part of an organisation and a system, and that the boys on the ground have contributed largely to the major portion of any success which we have attained. I thank you very much."

SPEAKS FOR CHINA

Mr. Chu Chang-sing, Director General of Posts of the Chinese Government, then spoke as follows: "As a representative of the Chinese Postal Administration it gives me much pleasure indeed to be here to-day, on the occasion of the arrival of the Hong Kong Clipper from the United States. It is the first direct air mail between China and America via Hong Kong, crossing the vast Pacific Ocean, and it represents an historic event which we would not have thought possible even in this century of progress. It marks a stage in the history of aviation and a great achievement for the Pan-American Airways, which will link the British Empire and America more closely together, and will also be a link of goodwill and the further promotion of international friendship.

LARGE AMOUNT OF MAIL

"At the time I was in Shanghai the large amount of air mail expected for this first flight showed the interest of the residents of Shanghai as well as other capitals. And I hope that this air service to China will produce even closer relationship with the whole world, and that the air service will not only promote communication but also contribute to the friendship and goodwill of the whole world."

"It is a matter for regret, if I may say so, that a very good friend of China who was to a great extent responsible for this function, could

not be here to-day. I refer to Sir Andrew Caldecott. I am sure you will agree with me that we would have liked to see him here on this historic occasion.

"Now, ladies and gentlemen, on behalf of China I take this opportunity of wishing the crew of the Clipper God-speed and a successful journey, and I hope they will continue to contribute their share to international friendship among all nations."

Mr. H. M. Bixby, vice-president for China, of the Pan American Airways, said:—

"The Union Jack is not a strange flag to Pan American pilots. For several years our Company has had the privilege of serving out ports of your vast Empire—the Bahamas, Jamaica, British Honduras, British Guiana, the Windward Islands, and now Hong Kong.

"It is significant, however, that today at this magnificent air-port, in this most beautiful of all harbours, you have witnessed the first direct connection between planes of Pan American and the services of your great Imperial Airways. Soon these Companies will jointly operate across the North Atlantic and it will be possible for you to fly around the world without an interpreter—that is, if you can understand "American." (laughter).

SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION

"Your Excellency—may we take this opportunity to express our very sincere thanks for the friendly and whole-hearted co-operation which the Colony has extended so cordially. To you, Mr. Wynne-Jones, and the Post Office officials, the Director of Air Services and his hard-working, efficient staff—we are deeply grateful. We regret that Sir Andrew Caldecott cannot be here to welcome the inauguration of this service, which, with you he so greatly fostered and encouraged.

"Surrounded here by our English and Chinese friends, it seems to-day that we can forget the words of your immortal Kipling—"East is East, and West is West, Never twain shall meet." May we not rather hope that this event will hasten the day when men will accept and be governed by the simple truth expressed by that older and wiser philosopher, Confucius—"In the Four Seas all men are brothers?" (Applause.)

CHRISTENING CEREMONY

Members of the official party were taken out to the Clipper in the motor vessel Lilla after the speeches of welcome, to witness the christening of the plane. The ceremony was performed by Miss Judith Smith, daughter of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, who raised the Union Jack to the fore mast of the Clipper amidst cheers from the assembly. The Clipper was draped with the flags of the United States, China and Great Britain. Champagne was served in the hangar after the ceremony.

The U. S. Post Office issued special 20 and 25 cent commemorative stamps for the flight. Thousands of these were used on mail delivered to Hong Kong addresses yesterday.

Completion of the last remaining link in the round-the-world service means that American airlines now control 42,000 miles of the world's total of 120,000 miles.

THOSE PRESENT

Those present at the reception were, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Mr. N. L. Smith, Mrs. Smith and Miss Judith Smith, His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, Major-General A.W. Bartholomew and Mrs. Bartholomew, Lady MacGregor, Rear-Admiral C.G. Sedgwick and Mrs. Sedgwick, Squadron Leader W.A.K. Dalzell and Mrs. Dalzell, the Hon. Mr. R.A.C. and Mrs. North, Mr. and Mrs. H. Donovan, the Hon. Comdr. J.B. and Mrs. Newill, Mr. M.W. Ling, secretary to the Mayor of Canton, Mr. Chong Sing-chu, Deputy Director-General of Posts, Nanking, Col. Tan Bo-ghee, Sir Henry Pollock, the Hon. Dr. A.E. and Mrs. Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Carrie, Mr. E.I. Wynne-Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cock, the Hon. Mr. C.G. Alabaster and Mrs. Alabaster, M.B.E., Wing Comdr. A.G. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Shields, Lt. Col. H.L. Morrow, D.S.O., Major and Mrs. Duclos, the Hon. Mr. T.N. Chiu, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kay, Mr. Ho Kom-tong, Sir William Hornell, Mr. R.R. Todd, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo, Col. R.M. Rodwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tong-sen, Mr. G.G.N. Tinson, Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Mitchell, the Hon. Mr. J.J. Paterson, Mr. Leurguin, Mr. F.A. Nixon, Director of Post, Canton, Mr. P.H. Tye, manager of the China

D.O.G.A.

Appeal For More Members

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Diocesan Old Girls' Association was held at Messrs. Lo and Lo's offices, Alexandra Building, yesterday afternoon.

Addressing the meeting, Mrs. E. C. Fincher (President) said, in part:—

There is a slight error in the printed statement of accounts. The figure of \$2073 on both sides of the account, as representing the value of the \$2,000 Hong Kong Government Loan at cost should be \$2073.30, making the amount brought forward therefore to be \$3081.13 instead of \$3080.83; the balance in hand to be \$3207.06 instead of \$3206.76; and the sum total \$3299.85 instead of \$3299.35.

It is gratifying that, in spite of the decrease in membership, and the decrease of \$78.76 in the receipts as compared with last year, there is a surplus in the year's working of \$125.93, representing an increase of \$33.46 over last year's surplus. The decrease in receipts in attributed mainly to subscriptions, the amount collected during the year being \$54 as against the sum of \$126 last year. To offset this there is a profit of \$50.60 on sale of magazines, as against a loss of \$44.50 for the previous year. The credit balance would have been more if unpaid subscriptions amounting to the sum of \$33 were included in the account as amount receivable.

The membership roll now stands at the figure of 85, as against 89 last year, showing a decrease of 4. Fifty-four are Life Members, leaving only 31 from whom annual subscriptions are receivable.

In spite of the resolution passed last year that all girls leaving school be invited to become members free of subscription for one year, no one has availed herself of this offer. This state of affairs is to be deplored, and I hope that there will be a ready response this coming year.

The Memorial Fund shows a balance in hand of \$157.47. This represents an increase of \$58.99 over last year's balance, being as to \$54.50 proceeds from Jumble Sale held in November, \$2.00 donation and \$2.49 bank interest. No payment out of this account has been made during the year. I appeal for further donations to this fund.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

President.—Mrs. E. C. Fincher; Vice Presidents.—Miss H. D. Sayer, Miss M. Churn; Hon. Secretary.—Miss N. Leung; Hon. Treasurer.—Mrs. S. Jex.

Committee Members.—Miss Janet Broadbridge, Miss Joyce Anderson, Miss P. Gittins, Mrs. Iris Prew, Mrs. W. M. Gittins, Mrs. A. G. Botelho, Miss E. Banker, Miss Allen.

National Airways Corporation and many others.

THE CREW

The crew were introduced to His Excellency the O.A.G.: They were:—

Captain La Porte, Captain Sellers, Captain Nixon, Chief Officer Frank Briggs, Third Officer V. Wright, Fourth Officer J. W. Stickrod, Fifth Officer McCarthy.

Mr. Kennedy, Traffic Representative of Pan-American Airways, was a passenger aboard the plane. Messrs. Wright, Briggs and Stickrod were members of the crew which, under Captain Musick, took the Clipper to New Zealand earlier this month.

THE SCHEDULE

The schedule, followed by the Hong Kong Clipper was as follows:—

Wednesday, April 21: left San Francisco;

Thursday, arrived Honolulu, Hawaii;

Friday, left Honolulu;

Monday, arrived Guam Island;

Tuesday, left Guam;

Tuesday, arrived Manila, Philippines;

Wednesday, left Manila;

Wednesday, arrived Macao;

Wednesday, arrived Hong Kong.

The eastbound flight is due to leave Hong Kong this morning.

A charming ceremony took place at Kai Tak Air Port yesterday afternoon when Capt. La Porte, of the Hong Kong Clipper, presented a watch which he brought from America, to the Chief Pilot of Imperial Airways, as a token of good wishes.

ASSAULT CASE

Defendants Convicted And Bound Over

D. James and A. G. Wjesekera were summoned before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday for having assaulted complainant H. M. Alawdin, residing at No. 48, Haiphong Road.

Alawdin said that he was a reptile skin hawker, and the trouble started on March 30 when he and defendants who were jewellers, were selling goods, aboard the S. S. Reliance. It was alleged that first defendant's father, who was believed to be an unlicensed hawk, came to complainant and asked him to tell the police officer who was searching for hawkers' licences, that he had a licence. When the sergeant came to complainant to inquire whether all the goods were his, complainant replied in the negative. The officer then said that he would summon James for selling goods without a licence.

Later in the day James and second defendant visited complainant and demanded the reason why he had ignored his request. Before leaving James warned complainant. The next day both defendants went to his shop and were alleged to have assaulted him. Mr. Samed came on the scene and separated them. Complainant received medical treatment, and defendants had agreed to pay the doctor's bills; but they refused to pay when the bills were presented.

A COMMOTION

In the witness box Mohammed Raya Abdul Samed said that he heard a commotion outside his shop and he went out and saw complainant on the ground and both defendants were kicking him. He separated them. Later second defendant returned with a pen-knife and said that he was "now ready for the fight."

Witness said that he did not encourage the fight, and stated that he was not with complainant before the trouble started.

First defendant, in evidence, stated as he and first defendant were on their way back to work they met complainant who alleged that witness was a cheque forger. Complainant rushed at second defendant and punched him in the stomach. Witness only acted as peace-maker.

In evidence second defendant related the circumstances regarding complainant calling him a cheque forger.

After hearing the evidence his Worship registered a conviction against the defendants who were both bound over, and ordered to pay \$10 amends to the complainant.

CHARITY WORK IN COLONY

Ministering League Annual Meeting

Mrs. T. H. King, President of the Ministering League, was in the chair at the annual general meeting held at the Helena May Institute, yesterday morning.

In the course of her speech, Mrs. King said that the League has reason to be gratified by the generous response of the kind public to its appeals and that, on the whole, the year 1936 has been successful. The meeting was opened by Mrs. E. C. Norris (Hon. Secretary) who read the minutes of the last meeting.

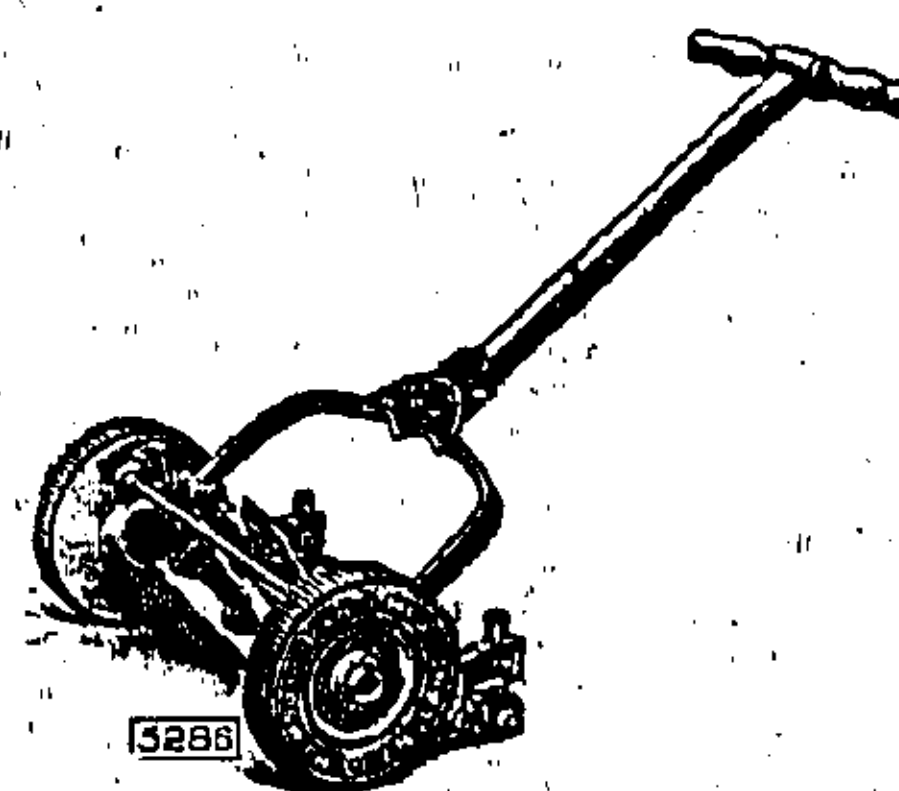
In moving the adoption of the report and balance sheet for the year 1936, Mrs. King said:

I think that on the whole, the year 1936 may be considered to have been successful, and the League has reason to be gratified by the generous response of the kind public to its appeals. That over \$9,000 has been raised while the depression was still being keenly felt should encourage us to go on with greater enthusiasm.

As you know, years ago we used to send home money to Charities in Great Britain—now, however, we only send away money to support our two Hong Kong cots at Otterhaw, Meath Home at Otterhaw, and that brings me to a point which I feel strongly about. At one of the flag days recently, someone gave one of my daughters \$1, saying: "I'll give to this Charity—but not to the M.L. as they send their money away." She unfortunately did not hastily tell him that he was all wrong; that out of the \$9,000 we collected we only sent \$970 to England, and that to support as I said, the two Hong Kong cots at Otterhaw.

We hope to again have at least two Children's Clubs during the summer holidays, and I shall be

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Subject to audit, the accounts for the year ended 28th February 1937 show a profit of \$90,694.63, to which must be added the Carry Forward from last year of \$110,701.60, making a total of \$207,396.23.

At the forthcoming meeting of shareholders to be held on Saturday, 22nd May 1937, the directors will recommend as follows:—

Transfer to General Reserve	\$100,000.00
Dividend of 6 per cent.	45,000.00
Carry forward to next account	62,396.23
	\$207,396.23

REGISTRY WEDDING

The wedding took place at The Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday of Mr. Chan E. Siu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chan Mo-ching and Miss Lee Tai-soong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yau-lap. Mr. John Whyatt officiated and the witnesses were the fathers of the bride and bridegroom respectively.

more than grateful to anyone who will volunteer and help us.

Mrs. King then proposed the adoption of the report and balance sheet and this was seconded by Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, who is one of the League's Honorary Vice-Presidents, and carried.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Proposed and read by Mrs. D. Kelvin-Stark (Hon. Treasurer), seconded by Mrs. R. M. Henderson, the following is the list of the Executive Committee for 1937-38:—

Lady MacGregor and Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew (Hon. Vice-Presidents); Mrs. T. King (President); Mrs. Crapnell (Vice-President); Mrs. Kelvin-Stark (Hon. Treasurer); Mrs. E. C. Norris (Gen. Hon. Secretary); Branch Representatives: Mrs. Clark (Bellios Public School); Mrs. Cheung (Heep Yunn School); Mrs. Lakeman (Kowloon); Mrs. Ford (Kowloon Dock); Mrs. Wright (Military); Mrs. R. A. D. Forrest (Peak); Mrs. T. King (Police); Mrs. Shaw (Prison Department); Mrs. Sedgwick (Royal Navy Dock Yard and Harbour); Dr. K. Woo (St. Paul's Girls' College); Miss Atkins (St. Stephen's Girls' College); Mrs. Richardson (Victoria); and Miss Sawyer (Diocesan Girls' School).

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Kelvin-Stark proposed a vote of thanks to Mrs. King for all the work she has done for the League, and was enthusiastically adopted.

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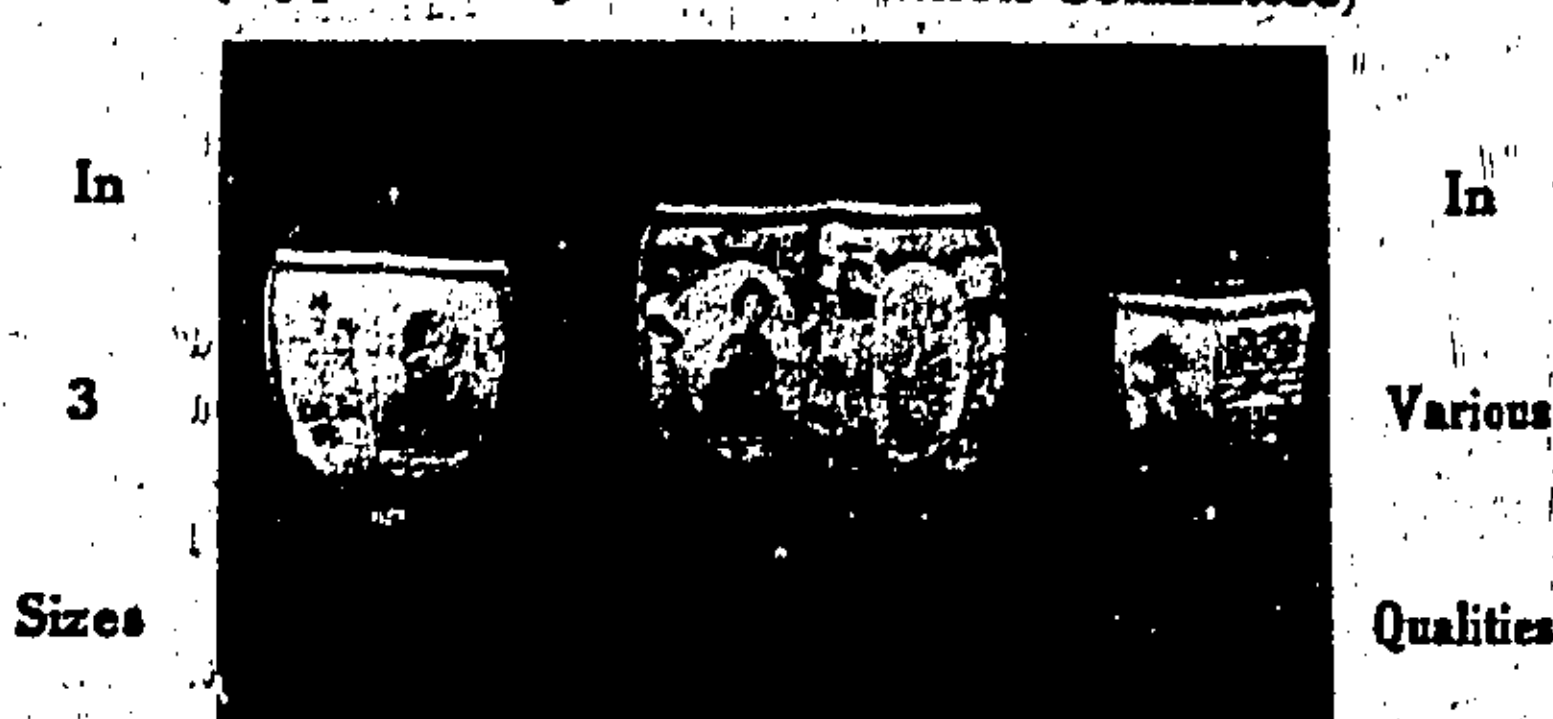
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE SUPREME
COURT OF HONG
KONG.

In the matter of the Estate of JAMES GREIG MATHEWSON YUILL, late of the Far East Shipping Company, Victoria in the Colony of Hong Kong, Marine Engineer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance, 1897, made an order limiting the time to the 25th day of May, 1937 for creditors and others to send in claims against the above estate to the undersigned.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1937.

L. R. ANDREWES,
Official Administrator.

THE CANTON INSURANCE
OFFICE, LTD.NOTICE TO
SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Tuesday, the 18th May, 1937, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1936.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th to the 18th May, 1937, both days inclusive.

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THE HONG KONG
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The Fourth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 1st May, 1937, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 26th April, 1937.

HONG KONG RIFLE
ASSOCIATIONMid-Week Spoon And
Practice Shoot

LARGE ATTENDANCE

In view of the fact that the Annual Prize Meeting of the Association finished only a fortnight ago, the attendance on the ranges yesterday afternoon exceeded all expectations, and resulted in all the target accommodation available, being put into use. This state of affairs is largely due to the decision of those responsible to shoot-off the Inter-Colonial Match within the next few weeks, while this year, for the first time, it has been possible, under the revised regulations now in force, to enter one team using the S. R. (b) rifle, and also another using the "rifle as issued". The necessary entry fees have accordingly been forwarded to the National Rifle Association at home, and as soon as the register cards are received, the match will be held.

Weather conditions on the ranges yesterday afternoon were somewhat difficult, in that both light and wind were constantly varying factors; on the other side of the picture, it must be recorded that the temperature was unusually cool, and that the shoot was carried through under far more comfortable conditions than is normally the case at this time of the year. As will be seen from the leading scores given below, a member of the Senior Service once again carried off the S. R. (b) "net" spoon, while members of the Regular Army won the "handicap" spoon in this series, as well as the "handicap" spoon awarded to the competitor using the S. R. (a) weapon.

A further innovation this year is the entry by the Association for the Inter-Colonial Small-Bore Match, which, as its name implies, is fired with the .22 rifle. In this connection, it is understood that the Association is likely to form a "miniature" rifle-shooting branch, as many requests have been received from individual full members for this to be done. Taking into consideration the number of miniature ranges which are available in the Colony, and in particular the great reduction in cost of ammunition for this form of rifle-shooting, it seems likely that this new venture may prove to be a decided success, and plans are already in hand for the construction of a large twenty-five-yards range adjacent to the Association's Clubhouse on the Army ranges at Kowloon City. At the same time, the fact has to be realized that miniature rifle-shooting is only a means to an end, for the reason that it is really a form of practice leading to the use on the open range of the .303 weapon, for it must not be overlooked that this type of shooting possesses the very real advantage that it can take place at night, with artificial light as illuminant, and it is doubtless largely due to this being the case, that the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs, is not only steadily growing in membership, but already has some thousands of miniature rifle clubs affiliated to it to-day.

The leading scores made yesterday afternoon are as follows:—

	S.R. (b)			
	Assn	300 Yds.	500 Yds.	800 Yds.
	Hcap.	Nett	Nett	Nett
1.—Lieut. Jenks	scr.	31	34	31
2.—C.P.O. Pellow	scr.	30	33	30
3.—Cpl. Stewart	1	30	34	29
4.—Rtn. Stewart	1	30	31	30
5.—Rtn. McAteer	2	29	32	29
6.—Cpl. Watson	scr.	30	30	29
7.—Cpl. James	3	32	29	27
8.—L/Cpl. J. Gordon	5	25	32	28
9.—Mr. H. J. S. Blake	4	32	29	24
10.—L/Cpl. Whelan	6	25	30	26

All the above competitors used the "1914" rifle.

	S.R. (a)			
	Assn	300 Yds.	500 Yds.	800 Yds.
	Hcap.	Nett	Nett	Nett
1.—Capt. Ratcliffe	4	25	32	25
2.—Rtn. A. R. Stewart	6	29	28	25
3.—L/Sgt. McLelland	6	23	31	27
4.—L/Cpl. Ballie	—	27	28	26

—Denotes the winner of the "net" spoon.
—Denotes the winner of the "handicap" spoon.

NOTE:—The handicap of each winner has been reduced by one point as shown. This procedure applies to all S.R. (a) and S.R. (b) Spoon Shoots.



The bagpipes of the Hong Kong Brigade, H.K.S.R.A., at the I.R.C. Sports last Sunday.

design may lament that Pirrucci's St. George and the Dragon has not been revived for a King whose name saint is St. George; but they may be reconciled on learning that that famous design is to be on the reverse of all the new gold coinage, from the five-sovereign piece to the half-sovereign.

Public opinion will probably agree that the handsomest of all the new coins is the two-shilling piece (the name "florin," first applied to coins of this value in 1849, has been dropped). The design is new, rich, and shapely, and it fills the field to perfection.

PREMIER'S TRIBUTE
TO LORD GREY

London, April 27.

Tribute to the late Lord Grey was paid by the Prime Minister (Mr. Baldwin) in unveiling a memorial tablet outside the Ambassador's entrance of the foreign office to-day before a distinguished company of statesmen, diplomats, politicians and personal friends. Mr. Baldwin said Lord Grey was "A great man—who was a source of inspiration and strength to all those with whom he worked—a man who will be an example to future generations of statesmen and a type in my mind essential to the preservation of sane and wholesome public life in a democratic system."—British Wireless

MRS. SIMPSON'S
DIVORCEApplication Next
Month

The application for the decree nisi granted to Mrs. Ernest Simpson at Ipswich last October to be made absolute will be heard in the Divorce Division on May 3.

The decree nisi was granted on October 27, and it has been widely assumed that it could be made absolute as soon as six months had elapsed—immediately after April 27.

These assumptions, however, ignore the necessities of divorce procedure. The application for the decree to be pronounced absolute will be made on April 28. Mrs. Simpson's legal advisers must make the application by a written notice to be filed in the Divorce Registry and accompany the notice by an affidavit of search.

NO INTERVENTION

The affidavit must testify that up to within six days of the time appointed for pronouncing the decree absolute no person had intervened or obtained leave to intervene, and that no appearance has been entered and no affidavit filed on behalf of any person seeking to show cause why the decree should not be made absolute.

The procedure provides that the decree shall be pronounced absolute on the first "motion day" after the filing of the application, which in this case will be Monday, May 3.

There are provisions by which application can be made to a Judge on summons to fix a shorter time than six months in which a decree nisi may be made absolute, but they are rarely exercised.

CHINA'S TENTH
ANNIVERSARYRepublic's Good
Progress

Shanghai, Apr. 19. The Tenth Anniversary of the establishment in Nanking was enthusiastically celebrated in the capital yesterday morning. The whole city was decorated with flags.

Over a thousand officials attended the memorial service, which was very solemnly performed in the Central National Hall. Among those present were Messrs. Yeh Cho Chong, Chang Chi, Chen Leh Fu, Tang Chia Yen, Chen Pei Chun, and Wang Chung Hai representing the civil and military administrations.

Mr. Lin Sen, President of the National Government, took the chair and in the course of his opening address, he reviewed China's achievements during the past ten years. He appealed to the nation to join firmly together and work for China's renaissance.

He stated "we have only realised 20 per cent. of the reconstruction work which our late father of the Republic, Dr. Sun, had scheduled for us to fulfil. We still have a very heavy programme before us, and greater efforts are necessary in order to reach our final objectives.

For example, the plans laid down for the construction of railways and highways cover 100,000 miles and 1,000,000 miles respectively. At present we have only completed about 10,000 miles of railways and 200,000 miles of highways.

Furthermore we have the "Three People's Principles" to consider. The standard of livelihood of the common mass of Chinese people must be given due protection."—Sin Chew Jit Poh.

The Great Northern Telegraph Co. (Ltd.) advises that the following unclaimed telegram is lying at their office:—Samuela. Y.M.C.A., Kowloon from Shanghai.

NEW GOVERNOR
OF ANHUI

Nanking, Apr. 28.

Mr. Liu Shang-ching, the newly appointed Chairman of the Anhui Provincial Government will leave Tientsin for Nanking to-morrow to interview the leaders of the Government and to receive final instructions.

It is understood that Mr. Liu Shang-ching will leave for Anhui, and assume his office on May 1 next.

Chinese Evening Press.

JAPAN REVIEW

This is the first of our series on Japan in the new feature which we are publishing on Far Eastern affairs, which embraces comprehensive surveys and independent commentaries on important happenings in China, Malaya, the Philippines and Japan.

There have lately been a number of signs that the possibility of an Anglo-Japanese rapprochement is again pre-occupying responsible minds in Japan. Early this month, and only a few weeks after he had become Prime Minister, General Hayashi told the Japanese Diet that promotion of friendship with Britain was a question of the most urgent importance. Similar sentiments have been expressed, both before and since, by Japanese business men. And only the other day Mr. Sato, the Japanese Foreign Minister, echoed these sentiments in a speech which was as encouraging as any yet delivered in Japan. An Anglo-Japanese rapprochement would be the happiest possible outcome to the unsatisfactory relations of the past few years. The Australian High Commissioner recently remarked that "the area of the world of the future in which the greatest problems will arise is probably the Pacific." If Japan can be brought back into a comity of nations, the problems need never trouble us, for peace in the Pacific will be assured. With peace in the Pacific assured, there will be a greater hope than at present of maintaining peace throughout the world.

The Japan Hosiery Exporters' Association announces that it has now reached an agreement with the American trade interests in regard to the control of exports to the United States. Annual exports of cotton, mixed and fancy socks are to be restricted to 1,500,000 dozens. Judging by the fact that exports last year were 2,210,000 dozens, this means a great concession, but the present agreement removes the threatened tariff increase.

The agreement will hold good for three years, i.e. until the end of 1939.

Creation of a National Planning Board—a "brain trust"—which will plan Japan's industrial development, has been decided upon by the Cabinet. The first task of the new body, Domel learned from reliable sources, will be to draft a Five-Year Plan of industrial development of Japan, Korea, Formosa and Manchukuo.

The new State, in collaboration with the Kwangtung Army and the South Manchuria Railway Company, has already drafted a five-year plan for the development of its agriculture, industry and mineral resources. A similar plan is being drafted by the Korean Government-General. The "brain trust" will draft a similar plan for Japan proper and Formosa, co-ordinating it with the Korean and Manchurian schemes.

In drafting the plan, the new Board will, it is reported, lay emphasis on the strengthening of the economic ties binding Japan with Manchukuo and on the development of natural resources required for national defence.

Early in the month the thirtieth anniversary of the foundation of the South Manchuria Railway Company was celebrated by no less than 120,000 employees. Various forms of jubilation and commemoration took place all day, beginning with mass calisthenics in Dairen, solemn services elsewhere, and during the day speeches, toasts and lectures were given in all of the larger cities of Manchukuo.

A recent café fire in Tokyo which cost the lives of nine waitresses led the police to inspect buildings in the city's three central wards. It is now announced that over half the buildings are fire traps, nearly all of them lacking a fire escape, and very few having any extinguishing apparatus. If conditions are like this in the business districts, the state of affairs in the slum areas can be imagined. Even with the utmost attention paid to prevention, fire is an ever-present danger in Japanese cities, and when police regulations are ignored—as they have been in Tokyo—the risk to human life rises accordingly. All the fire trap owners have now been warned. The whole question of public safety and the prevention of fires and accidents, apparently badly needs attention.

The worst neglect of precautions provided for by the law subjects the offender only to a fine, and presumably Tokyo's landlords escape even this, though the owner or operator of any building in which a life is lost through fire ought—if it can be proved that police regulations were evaded—to be charged with manslaughter.

A national glider endurance flight record of 2 hours 7 minutes has been established by Mr. Masatoshi Hironaka, a first-class pilot of the Kwangtung Branch of the Manchukuo Aeronautic Society, who is giving lessons in glider flying in Dairen at present, says a message reaching the "Asahi." This has broken the national record of 1 hour 1 minute held by Pilot Yoshiwara, who established it last year at Kirigamine.

With Japan facing an unprecedented shortage of iron, the Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry was obliged to decline a ¥10,000,000 order for rails and machinery from Brazil.

Referring to the recent decision of the Cabinet to postpone the construction of various official structures here, to save all available iron for national defence, local steel manufacturers have pointed out that that move would not affect the iron and steel market.

While the nation's demand for iron and steel for this year is estimated at 4,850,000 metric tons, the Government requires for its enterprises, including railway building and public works, only 100,000 tons.

The manufacturers, however, pointed out that a considerable economy in the use of iron and steel could be effected if provincial governments and municipalities would follow the example of the central government.

The Amateur Boxing Association of Japan has several projects in hand for the encouragement of the noble art. A team of 25 boxers has left Tokyo for a tour of Northern Japan, fighting each other in city after city to give the locals some idea of ring thrills, and—if possible—to establish new amateur clubs. Later, the Association is to promote inter-city tournaments, and inter-regional contests, the best local boxers being invited to fight in Tokyo.

The University Boxing Leagues in Tokyo and the Kwansai are also to be revamped, and the Olympic rules adopted. Semi-annual tournaments with the Philippines are also proposed. It is expected that the Philippines will send a team to Japan this November.

The Department of Finance has decided to station in Shanghai a financial commissioner of "chokunin" rank in order to facilitate economic co-operation with China. The actual appointment will take place this autumn.

Convinced that the fundamental adjustment of Sino-Japanese relations can be made only through economic rapprochement, the Hayashi Cabinet some time ago dispatched an economic mission to China. In order to facilitate this effort, it has now decided that a financial commissioner—a system adopted once before—be stationed in Shanghai on a permanent basis.

Occasionally the political commentator exposes the heart of a problem with a penetrating wisdom akin to genius. The writer of the "Manichi," "Tokyo Antenna" produced this gem on Wednesday:—

"The main problem in Europe to-day is that the bigger powers are too strong for the lesser powers, while the lesser powers are too weak for their bigger brothers."

Is this the great truth the statesmen have been blindly groping for?

NO MISSIONARIES KIDNAPPED

CHINA QUERY IN COMMONS

Mr. Eden's Statement Raises Cheers

London, April 28. In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. H. Day, Labour Member for Central Southwark, asked how many missionaries were kidnapped and murdered in China in the past year, requesting also a general statement on the position of missionaries.

Mr. Anthony Eden replied that no British missionaries had been kidnapped or murdered (Cheers). The Foreign Secretary promised that he would try to supply information and added that the British Consuls assist the missionaries in their travels in the interior of China to the best of their ability.—*Reuter.*

MALAYA'S GIFT FOR DEFENCE

Mr. Ormsby-Gore's
Commendation

London, Apr. 28. Referring at question time to the Straits Settlements gift to the British Government of half a million dollars towards Empire Defence, Mr. Ormsby-Gore said that he was glad to take the opportunity of expressing the Government's appreciation of this further generous gift from the Colony and the spirit of co-operation of which it was still another practical example.

This statement was greeted with loud cheers.—*Reuter.*

FRANCO LODGES PROTEST

Charge Against British
Destroyer

London, Apr. 28. A charge that the British destroyer *Frederick* entered the three-mile limit when along with H.M.S. Hood she allegedly conveyed three British foodstuffs to Bilbao on April 23 was made by General Franco in a protest carried by envoy to the British Ambassador at Hendaye. It is stated in London that the British Government has already frequently disclaimed the indicated position of the three-mile limit and did not enter territorial waters. Meantime no reply has been received to the British protest concerning interference with British ships on the high seas which was made to General Franco in connection with the same incident.—*Reuter.*

STIRRING APPEAL TO BASQUES

Defence Of Liberty

Bilbao, April 28. President Aizola, in a stirring appeal to the Basque people, admits the gravity of the situation and refers to the destruction of Guernica by "German airmen in the service of the Spanish rebels." He called on all Basques to "react with violence and to defend their principles and liberties with unheard-of stubbornness and heroism."—*Reuter.*

DIVINE WIND RETURNS

Sister Plane Completed

London, Apr. 28.—The Japanese plane *Divine Wind* has returned to England from Rome. The airman will stay in England until after the Coronation. A sister plane to the *Divine Wind* has been completed and passed test flights. She has been named the *Morning Breeze*.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

TAX STATEMENT WELL RECEIVED

London, Apr. 28.—The statement of the Chancellor of the Exchequer regarding the National Defence Contributing Tax was well received on the Stock Exchange and to-day business showed a tendency of values generally almost without exception upwards.—*British Wireless.*

KING'S GIFT TO MUSEUM

Priceless Manuscript
Journals

London, Apr. 28. To mark his visit down the river to Greenwich when yesterday he opened the new National Maritime Museum, the King has presented that institution with two priceless manuscript journals kept by Captain Cook.

One of these records his first voyage in 1769 in command of H.M.S. Endeavour when he rediscovered and entirely charted New Zealand and the eastern coast of Australia, circumnavigating the globe and proving that scurvy could be conquered.

The second journal covers his second voyage in 1772 in which he disproved the theories about the great Southern Continent.

The volumes had been in the Royal Library at Windsor.—*British Wireless.*

COAT WORN BY NELSON
London, Apr. 28.—The King and Queen who travelled by barge to Greenwich yesterday to open the National Maritime Museum, in which is contained many historical relics including a coat worn by Nelson at the Battle of Trafalgar, returned by road to London.

Queen Mary also attended the opening, travelling to Greenwich by road.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

WHEAT MARKET TRENDS

Liverpool Meeting
References

London, Apr. 28. Speaking at the annual general meeting of the Liverpool Corn Trade Association, the Chairman said that when the price of wheat reached an attractive level, India made a welcome reappearance as an exporter, for her contribution to the world market seems to be determined much less by the magnitude of her domestic supplies than by the general level of wheat prices and relationship of wheat prices to prices of native grains.

The Chairman added that when the international price of wheat is fairly high, China retires from the Australian and other markets, but in 1936 she is reported to have harvested unusually large domestic food crops.—*Reuter.*

ROOSEVELT WARNS SPECULATORS

Washington, April 27. The warning against speculation in stocks by Government employees was extended to include all the general public by President Roosevelt at a press conference. The Chief Executive declared, he had been warning the public against speculation ever since 1927.—*Reuter.*

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT IMPROVES

London, Apr. 28.—A bulletin this morning regarding the Duke of Connaught, King George's 87-year-old great uncle, who has recently been unwell, states: "The condition of His Royal Highness continues to show further improvement."—*British Wireless.*

IMPERIAL WAR GRAVES

London, Apr. 28.—Sir Fabian Ware, Sir George MacDonagh and Mr. Lawson, M.P., left London last night to attend the second meeting of the Anglo-German-French Committee of Imperial War Graves Commission.—*British Wireless.*

GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

London, April 27. It is the constant aim of His Majesty's Government's policy in all spheres to attain the greatest possible measure of political apportionment and economic collaboration, declared the President of the Board of Trade, (Mr. Walter Runciman) in an answer in the House of Commons.—*British Wireless.*

INDIA'S NEW CONSTITUTION

Congress Committee
Resolutions

Alahabad, April 28. The Congress Working Committee adopted a resolution reiterating the resolution adopted by the All-India Congress Committee on March 18 emphasising the assurances sought and did not contemplate the abrogation of the rights of the Governor to dismiss the Ministry and dissolve the Provincial Assembly when serious differences arise between the Governor and his Ministers.

A further resolution was to the effect that it did not contemplate any amendment of the act for the purpose of the required assurances.

A communique adds that the Committee was advised by eminent jurists that such assurances can be given strictly within the constitution.—*Reuter.*

DRUG PEDLARS EXECUTED

Eight More Victims

Peiping, April 28. After parading the streets, eight more drug pedlars were executed this morning at the Bridge of Heaven.

It is an ironic scene that there are so many Peiping executions. About thirty have been executed in Peiping since January, when the new law prescribing the death penalty for drug dealers or persons returning to the habit after being cured was enforced.—*Reuter.*

DUKE AND DUCHESS OF KENT

Visit To Edinburgh And
Glasgow

Edinburgh, Apr. 28. The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester arrived in Edinburgh to-day. There is a round of engagements there and also at Glasgow. They are staying as the guests of Lord Elphinstone.

The Duchess received the Freedom of the City this afternoon.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

London, Apr. 27. A Geneva Message says that Mr. Wellington Koo, President of the League Council, has accepted the suggestion of Monsieur Poletis, Vice President of the Disarmament Commission that a meeting of the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference should be postponed from May 6 until May 24 when the League Council meets in order to avoid clashing with the Montreux Conference.—*British Wireless.*

NEW ATTACK ON WORLD TRADE BARRIERS

A further move in an effort to break down the trade barriers of the world is announced with the decision of the British and French Governments to get in touch with the Belgian Government with a view to co-operation in tackling the problem.

At the moment there is no question of a conference being summoned, but problems of world trade have been exercising the minds of people in many countries recently, especially since the declaration of September 28 last when the Anglo-French-American currency agreement was reached.

The success of this agreement has possibly led to the present move.

It is understood that the British and French Governments are communicating with Belgium because M. van Zeeland, the Belgian Prime Minister, is a distinguished economist and has always emphasised the importance of the economic channel for promoting international relations.

It is assumed that M. van Zeeland will now give more particular study to trade issues between various countries.

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TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS

Leksar Wins By
Four Lengths

London, Apr. 28. The Two Thousand Guineas run to-day resulted in a victory for Leksar, ridden by Semblat, while Goya II (Ellott) came next and Midday Sun (Lowrey) was third.

Eighteen ran in the race, the winner running out by four lengths, and half a length separating second and third.

The betting was 20 to 1 Leksar, 7 to 1 Goya II, 25 to 1 Midday Sun.—*Reuter.*

LEKSAR FOR DERBY

London, Apr. 28.—Derby betting after the 2000 Guineas on Leksar was 2500 to 500 laid after and 6050 to 1100 taken.—*Reuter.*

AIRMAN STILL HAS HOPE

London, Apr. 27. It is learned that the British airman, H. L. Brook, has not yet given up hope of beating the record for a flight between London and the Cape.

Brook was forced down yesterday at Bor, 100 miles north of Juba, with a broken tail-wheel, whilst flying from London to Africa. He now intends to proceed to the Cape and attempt a record on the homeward run.—*Reuter.*

COMMONS RECESS

London, April 27. The Prime Minister announced that the House of Commons would adjourn for the Coronation and Whitman recess on May 6 and reassemble on May 24.—*British Wireless.*



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ANGLO-AMERICAN PEACE DESIRES

London, Apr. 28. The United States Ambassador in London, Mr. R. W. Bingham, again emphasised in a speech here the joint concern of Britain and America in preserving peace. The peoples of both the United States and British Commonwealths valued beyond price their heritage of justice, liberty and freedom under law and these things bound them together.

He recalled the recent words of President Roosevelt, which he said could not be too often emphasised that mutual interest in world peace was the common inspiration between the two nations.—*British Wireless.*

GERMAN NAVY AT CORONATION REVIEW

Berlin, April 27. It is announced that the pocket battleship, *Graf Spree* will represent the German Navy at the Coronation Naval review at Spithead.—*Reuter.*

TERRIBLE FAMINE IN SZECHUEN

Chengtu, Apr. 27. Mr. Chu Hing-jan, the well-known philanthropist, has telegraphed to the Nanking Central Government reporting the terrible famine conditions which exist in the Province of Szechuen, stating that such a deplorable state of affairs has never happened during the past one hundred years. Mr. Chu urges the Nanking Central Government to raise the sum of \$2,000,000 for immediate relief of the starving people. It is said that over twenty-six districts are suffering extreme famine conditions and forty-six districts are also affected, all needing immediate relief.—*Chinese Evening Press.*

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TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

SIRDAR RUMJAHN
ENTERS FINALDefeats "Teddy" Fincher
In Straight Sets

S. A. Rumjahn, holder of the title in 1935, once again entered the final of the Colony Open Singles Championship when he defeated E. C. Fincher by three straight sets in the semi-final on the Stand Court of the Hong Kong Cricket Club yesterday afternoon. The score, in Rumjahn's favour, was 6-4, 6-4, 6-3. Rumjahn thus enters his seventh final since 1927.

Although Fincher has been one of the Colony's leading tennis players for the last ten years the title has up to now evaded him. Fincher entered the final in 1930, 1931 and 1932.

At the commencement of the match Fincher took the first game at love. S. A. Rumjahn then served several double faults to allow Fincher to lead 2-0 in the first set. Fincher won the next game to lead at three love, but after this Rumjahn played very fine tennis and drew level almost in succession, he then took the next three games to win the first set.

Fincher also took the first game in the second set but S. A. served several aces to level. Rumjahn played splendidly at the net to lead 3-1. Fincher rallied strongly and three-alls was called.

Rumjahn then played very well and took the next two games to win the second set at 6-4.

In the third set Fincher appeared to tire and Rumjahn, played mostly at the net and some very fine tennis was witnessed by the large gathering present, but Rumjahn was too good in his variety of strokes and took the final set at six games to three.

He now enters the final where he will meet his cousin, H. D. Rumjahn.



E. C. Fincher

GOVERNOR'S CUP
FINALAssociation Team To
Meet Chinese

The Governor's Cup Final will take place on Sunday, May 2, at the ground of the Kowloon Football Club, kick-off at 4.15 p.m. between teams representing the Hong Kong Football Association and the Hong Kong Chinese Amateur Athletic Association.

The following team has been selected to represent the Hong Kong Football Association.

Fus. Rowlands (Royal Welch Fusiliers); Rtn. Pickering (Royal Ulster Rifles); Rtn. Stevens (R. U.

R. Private Williams (Seaforths), Beltrao (Club de Recreio), Parker (H.K. Police); Rtn. Erwin (R. U. R.), Corporal Land (R. E.), A. V. Gosano (Club de Recreio), Private Ta'bot (R. W. F.), Knox (Kowloon F.C.).

Reserves:—E. Strange, S. Strange and Bleckford (Club); Evans (R. W. F.); Blake (Kowloon), and Sapper Howlett (R. E.).

DID YOU KNOW THAT...

Only One 'Ref.' Is
Ex-Soccer Pro.

Only ex-professional players on the Football League referees list are George Jones, a Nottingham Forest half back just after the war, and Albert Rawson, former Sheffield United and Barnsley centre forward, who has been acting on the line for nine years, but still has to be given charge of his League match.

Bolton Wanderers have suffered relegation from the First to the Second Division more times than any other club. They have descended five times, and they are going the right way to make it six this year.

Unbeaten at Goodison Park this season, Everton are enjoying their longest run of immunity from home defeat for exactly a quarter of a century. In season 1911-12 they went to April 13.

Outstanding among a number of forwards who have made this the best scoring season of their career is Chelsea centre forward George Mills. He has been in their senior side since season 1929-30.

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

Athletics.—Wah Yan College Second Annual Athletic Sports Meeting, Kowloon Football Club Ground, 1 p.m.

Boxing.—Army Boxing Finals, Murray Barracks, 8 p.m.

Golf.—R.A. Golf Meeting (Fanning).

Meetings.—Victoria Chess Club at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.; Annual, H.K.L.T.A., 5.30 p.m.

Tennis.—H.K.C.C. Championship Singles Final: M. Pagh v. A. L. Sullivan (stand court), 4.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Meeting.—Kowloon Chess Club at St. Andrew's Church Hall, 5.30 p.m.

Tennis.—Open Singles Final: H. D. Rumjahn v. S. A. Rumjahn or E. C. Fincher (Stand Court), 4.30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 1

Bowls.—Division I: C.C.C. v. K.C.C., Recreation v. C.S.C.C., K.B.G.C. v. H.K.F.C., K.D.R.C. v. P.R.C.; Division II: K.C.C. v. C.C.C., H.K.F.C. v. K.B.G.C., Recreation v. P.R.C., T.R.C. v. L.R.C.; Division III: C.S.C.C. v. K.F.C., Yacht Club v. C.C.C., H.K.E.R.C. v. K.T.R.C., H.K.F.C. v. Recreation.

Racing.—H.K. Jockey Club's 4th Extra Race meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

R.H.B. CRITICISES

HOCKEY PROTEST DISMISSAL

Rule States That Player Cannot
Represent Two Teams In Season

The dismissal by the Executive Council of the Mamak Hockey Tournament of the protest lodged by the Central British Association concerning the ineligibility of a player included in the Radio Sports Club team in the deciding championship match last Thursday gives rise to much comment.

From evidence adduced before the Council which met on Tuesday evening, it was admitted that the player in question, Channan Singh, has previously played for the Kowloon Indians Tennis Club "B" team against the Argonauts in the Mamak Tournament this season, but it was explained by Mr. A. E. P. Guest, the Radio representative that on that occasion, Channan Singh had been standing by the touchline before the commencement of the match and as the Kowloon Indians were a man short, he was asked to join in. Channan Singh, who was a member of the Radio Sports Club, Mr. Guest further explained, had played in a match for the Radio prior to this and in two games after it.

Allowing that explanation its greatest latitude, it does not dispose of the protest in the strictest legal sense.

CASE CITED

I would like to take this opportunity of citing a particular case relevant to this issue. It occurred

a few seasons ago when players in the Mamak Hockey Tournament were registered. This season they are not registered.

The Central British Association fielded a player, who had only played once previously for St. Andrew's Club. The C.B.A., in this match, defeated the R.A.S.C., and on a subsequent appeal lodged not by the participating teams but by another party, the C.B.A. were ordered to forfeit the two points they had won. They fielded the player quite unintentionally.

How does the present issue differ from this?

The match played last Thursday was won by the Radio by three goals to nil. They included in their team Channan Singh apparently with the full knowledge that he had played previously for another Club in the same Tournament. But they did it unintentionally.

In this case intention has got nothing to do with the issue at stake. Whether the player was played intentionally or otherwise it

stands to reason that such a step should never have been taken.

HE DID PLAY

The crux of the issue is the fact that Channan Singh did play for another team, and irrespective of registration, the Radio Sports Club, in my opinion (which is shared by many), should not have played this man.

The decision of the Executive Council in dismissing the protest lodged by the Central British Association is indeed amazing. What does the decision come to? It can mean this, and only this, that a player will be able to play for any two teams in a hockey tournament provided the team that fielded him did it without intention and with assurance to that particular player that "there was nothing at stake."

It is of interest to note that rule 29 of the Mamak Tournament states that a player may not play for more than one club in one season without the permission of the Executive Committee and the clubs concerned.

FOOTBALL
FIXTURES
FOR WEEK-ENDS. China "A" Meeting
Seaforths

League football fixtures for the week-end are as follows:—

SATURDAY

Division I.

South China "A" v. Seaforths.

Club v. Fusiliers.

Rifles v. South China "B."

Division II.

Club v. Seaforths.

Rifles v. Chinese Athletic

Division III.

Kwong Wah v. R.A.O.C.

Liga v. R.A.M.C.

R.E. v. Seaforths.

R.A.S.C. v. Kumoons.

SUNDAY

Governor's Cup Final

H.K.F.C. v. H.K.C.A.F.

LOCAL SOCCER

Fusiliers Beat
Police

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Playing in a First Division

League football match at Prince

Edward Road ground yesterday

afternoon, the Royal Welch Fusiliers

defeated the Police by three

goals to nil.

Three Second Division matches

were also played.

At Happy Valley, Kowloon played

a goalless draw with the Club

while at Prince Edward Road the

Fusiliers defeated the Royal Ulster

Rifles by three goals to two.

ENGINEERS BEAT SEAFORTHS

An evenly-contested encounter

was witnessed between the Sea-

forth Highlanders and the Royal

Engineers which resulted in victory

for the latter by four goals to

one.

The Engineers took the lead

through Hurst, who scored from

about 25 yards. Immediately after

this, the losers were awarded a

penalty for a foul by Jordan, but

Atkinson, the Seaforths goal-

keeper, who took the kick failed

to register. At the interval, the

Sappers led by one goal to nil.

Within a few minutes, on the

resumption of play Lindsay

equalised, but a little later the

Engineers went into the lead

again when Beal scored a good

goal. Howlett added further to

the score, while Beal registered the

last goal of the game with a

beautiful header.

The teams were as follows:—

Seaforths: Highlanders: Atkinson;

Higley, Campbell; Dobble, Mc-

Allon, Graham; Nuttney; Jamies-

son, Samson, Lindsay, Fraser.

Royal Engineers: Pobody; Jordan,

Johnson; Tudor, Land,

Dewell; Hairs, Hurst, Beal, How-

lett, Brown.

MACAO RACE
MEETINGDraft Programme
For May 9

The programme of the May race meeting of the Macao Jockey Club to be held Arela Preta, Macao, on Sunday, 9th. May, at 2 p.m., is as follows:—

Machine Gun Troop Race (Unofficial) Winner \$75. Second \$40. Third \$25. For China Ponies, bona fide Troop Ponies to be approved by the O/C Machine Gun Troop, Catchweight 175 lb. Entrance \$3. Seven Furlongs.

Ma Kau Siao Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of this Club that have not won a race at Race Meetings of this Club. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Praia Grande Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of this Club of any Season. Winners of more than 2 races at Race Meetings of this Club, barred. Jockey allowance. \$5. Six Furlongs.

Barra Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by the Hong Kong Jockey Club as "D" and "E". Classes at date of entry and Subscription Ponies of this Club of any Season. Jockey allowance Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

Mong Ha Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of this Club that have not won a race at Race Meetings of this Club. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Gula Plate. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of the Hong Kong Jockey Club of this Season that have not won a race at date of entry. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Entries close on Friday, 30th April, 1937, at the Secretary's office, 5th Floor, new Stock Exchange Building, 10 Ice House Street, Hong Kong.

DRILL DISPLAY

A large gathering of parents and friends attended a splendid drill display given by students of the St. Mary's Girls School at the school ground yesterday. Among those present were Rev. Fr. de Angelis, Rev. Fr. Ross, Rev. Fr. Granelli, Mother Provincial of the Italian Convent, Mrs. Wellington, and Mr. Dixon.

The programme included many pleasing items performed by junior students and drill display by members of classes 1 to 5. The May Pole dance won much applause.

Mrs. R. Pearce, the instructor for the upper classes and Mother Phyllis, for the juniors, are to be congratulated on the success of the display.

VALLEY GOLF

Draw For Summer
Singles

The draw for the Happy Valley Golf Summer Singles, 1937, is as follows:—

First round:—

N. K. Littlejohn (10) v. J. E. Dover (14); J. L. Adams (15) v. E. Thompson (20); G. Gellatly (24) v. A. V. Greaves (16); J. W. Mayhew (11) v. W. Ahern (6); A. E. Clarke (12) v. T. D. Paton (8); I. P. Tumworth (7) v. R. M. Wood (16); H. Smith (x) v. D. L. Prophet (12); Col. E. D. Matthews (12) v. D. S. Edward (3).

Byes into second round:—

K. S. Robertson (4) v. J. Forbes (11); H. N. Moran (x) v. F. G. van Reece (21); T. R. Chassell (8) v. G. E. Willerton (9); W. Stoker (x) v. J. W. Macdonald (7); E. Tuck (20) v. R. K. Collins (4); W. A. Mackinlay (18) v. W. A. Stewart (9); J. E. Richardson (8) v. T. Low (11); N. J. Bettington (21) v. T. B. Low (13); A. T. Braley (7) v. A. R. McBride (14); H. H. Mundy (8) v. F. E. Booker (10); A. J. Dennis (8) v. C. Mycock (13); W. R. Hillyer (17) v. W. S. Hillier (9).

1st Round on or before May 16; 2nd round on or before May 30; 3rd round on or before June 13; 4th round on or before June 27; Semi-final on or before July 7; and Final on or before July 18.

LOCAL YACHTING

Sweepstake Race
Results

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's sweepstake races sailed yesterday afternoon resulted as follows:—

"A" Class—Started 14.45

Finished Pos.
Carpenter, A1 16.32.46 2
(Capt. Eley).
Isobel, A2 16.33.36 3
(Mr. Garner-Smith)
Jones, A8 16.35.50 4
(Col. Muirhead).
Kittiwake, A12 16.32.25 1
(Miss P. M. King).

Mixed Classes—Started 14.55

Finished, Corr. Pos.
Colleen, H2 16.31.50 16.31.50 4
(Mr. Staunton).
Ailsa, B3, D.N.F.
Halcyon, H4 16.38.53 16.31.05 3
(Mr. Innes).
Widgeon, Y6 16.34.52 16.25.46 2
(Miss Crawhill-Wilson).
Gael, G1 16.42.48 16.22.39 1
(Col. S. Smith).
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H.K.L.T.A.

Annual Meeting This Afternoon

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

Afterwards there will be a meeting of the Council to receive entries for the tennis league and to elect an executive committee.

The annual report shows that a financial loss of \$427.26 was incurred on the year's working, though the league showed a profit of \$235.20.

The report reads in part, as follows.

We had the pleasure of seeing the China Davis Cup team in action when passing through the Colony for the Davis Cup. Kuo Sin-kie, proved to be far superior than on his previous visit here, and Gordon Lum was also in first class form. These two were the outstanding members of the team.

Later in the year we had the first opportunity of seeing past Wimbledon champions in exhibition matches. Messrs. W. T. Tilden and H. E. Vines, the famous professionals, gave a very fine series of exhibitions, and there is a likelihood of seeing them again here this year when possibly they will be accompanied by F. J. Perry and another first class professional.

FINANCE

The result of the year's working shows a net loss of \$427.26 against a net loss of \$357.65 the previous year.

Exhibitions show a loss of \$108.20, this being partly due to the total lack of support to a public subscription dinner arranged in honour of Messrs. Tilden and Vines, and to a complimentary dinner given in honour of our Siamese Visitors.

The League showed a profit on working of \$235.20, and this together with \$40.00 from advertisements in the Handbook, total \$275.20. We have to again thank Advertisers for their support in this connection.

The amount of \$502.09 under Inter-Port Expenses was due to the high cost of Tennis Balls, provision of refreshments, and complimentary dinners to our Shanghai visitors. No gate was collected, and a dance organised in their honour

British Boxing Victory

JACK DOYLE WINS ON POINTS FROM KING LEVINSKY

London, Apr. 27.

Another British victory over an American heavyweight was registered to-night at Wembley when Jack Doyle outpointed the slugging King Levinsky after twelve rounds of battle.

The American took terrific punishment, especially from Doyle's rapierlike right-handers to the face, but his courage and endurance were remarkable. The fight was nothing but a slugging match, without any pretensions of boxing, and was often crude.

McAVOY WINS

Jack McAvoy, later in the evening, knocked out the holder of the British cruiserweight championship, Eddie Phillips, in the fourteenth round of a scheduled fifteen round battle.

Thus McAvoy takes to himself

another title, in addition to the middle-weight belt of Britain.

McAvoy took a count of two from a right clip to the jaw in the first round, but thereafter he was not in danger. He floored Phillips for an eight count in the second round.

A series of jabs and hooks cut a deep gash in Phillips' cheekbone in the later rounds and a left and right to the jaw dropped him senseless to the canvas in the fourteenth.—*Reuter*.

DOYLE BREAKS HAND

London, Apr. 28.

It was revealed early to-day that Jack Doyle, in his fight with Levinsky, broke a bone in his right hand in the second round of the slugging contest.

This may account for the fact that this is the first win in his lifetime on points.—*Reuter*.

RUGBY BLUE FINED

Scene In Train Buffet Car

When a Cambridge Rugby blue, William Owen Chadwick, a St. John's College undergraduate, was accused at Cambridge Police-court of interfering with the comfort of railway passengers. It was stated that he combed another graduate's hair with a fork.

In reply to this he said that when a group of undergraduates were standing round a bar they were expected to be friendly. He would not behave like that to an ordinary citizen.

Chadwick, who was also alleged to have obstructed a buffet car attendant, was fined £5 with £2 15s. 6d. costs.

was not supported by any of the tennis-playing public other than the few players and officials who attended the dinner.

Our surplus funds now stand at \$1,555.15.

The Accounts have been audited by Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews.

U.S. BASEBALL

New York, Apr. 27.

Only one baseball encounter in the major leagues was held yesterday, heavy rains and bitter cold interfering with the rest. In spite of a four-bagger by Dick Shot, for the Pirates, the Cardinals won their game by 3 runs to 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh 1 9 1
St. Louis 3 8 1

The National League encounters between Boston and Brooklyn, New York and Philadelphia, and the American League clashes between Philadelphia and New York, Washington and Boston, Chicago and Cleveland and St. Louis and Detroit, were postponed owing to rain. The National League game between Chicago and Cincinnati, was held up by the cold.—*Reuter*.

ROCHDALE WIN

London, Apr. 27.

Rochdale completed their season's fixtures to-day in the northern section of the third division, winning at home by 4-1 against Accrington.—*Reuter*.

TRAINING GALLOPS

Times Taken At Happy Valley

The following were the times taken at the training gallops at Happy Valley yesterday:—

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	Last Qr.
Bright View	1	38	1.12	1.41.4			29.4
Night View	1	36	1.07.4	1.37			29.1
Harvest View	1	36.3	1.10.4	1.41.4			31
Rose-Queen	1	36.3	1.09	1.40.4			31.4
Snowy River	1	36	1.09	1.40.2	2.08		27.3
Soldier of China	1	37	1.12.3	1.44.2	2.13.2		29
Rose Evelyn	1	38.3	1.11	1.14.0			29
Baffin Bay & Boolat Bay	1	41.2	1.20.1	1.58.2	2.37.3	3.12	34.2
Jungle Jim	1	33.4	1.04.4	1.35.2			30.3
Mountain View	1	36	1.08.1	1.39.1			31
Amberley	1	41.1	1.16.3	1.47.2			30.4
Saucy Face	1	27.2	58.3	1.28.4			30.1
Gypsy Love	1	38	1.11.4	1.43.4	2.11.3		27.4
Potentate	1	39	1.18.3	1.56.1	2.31		34.4
Victoria Hall	1	37	1.12.2	1.45.4	2.16.3		30.4
Commencement Bay	1	37.2	1.13.4	1.48.4	2.18.1		31.2
Expansion Time	1	38.2	1.14.1	1.47	2.17.3		30.3
National Faith	1	34.4	1.07.4	1.39.3			31.4
National Anthem	1	35	1.07.4	1.38.3			30.4
Rob Roy	1	40.2	1.20.3	1.58.1	2.27.1		29
Racing Boy	1	37	1.09.1	1.40			30.4
Apilas	1	40	1.18	1.52.4	2.22.3		29.4
Radium & DeClasse	1	31.1	1.06.1	1.42.1	2.18.1		36
Valorous	1	34.4	1.08.4	1.38.2			31.3
Tiny Star	1	38.3	1.15.2	1.50.2	2.22		31.3
King's Bounty	1	35.2	1.08.3	1.41.3	2.13.1		31.3
Pontiac Bay	1	35.2	1.09	1.40.4	2.12.2		31.3
Daylight Eye	1	44.4	1.23.1	2.01	2.34.2		33.2
17th of Sept. Gordito	1	39	1.17.1	1.50.4	2.21		30.4
Gold Coin	1	39	1.16.2	1.49	2.20		31
Coronation Day	1	32	1.04.4	1.36.4			32
Morning Tip & Persian	1	34.2	1.07.4	1.39.3			31.4
Cat	1	47	1.27.2	2.03	2.35.3		32.3
Donovan & Busok	1	44	1.24.2	2.05.1	2.38.2		33.1
King's Lead	1	44	1.27.2	2.08	2.39.1		30
New Star	1	42	1.23.1	1.50.4	2.30.1		30.2
of Peace	1	37	1.11	1.41.2			30.3
Araxy & China Clipper	1	37.3	1.09.4	1.40.2			29.3
Elephant	1	38.2	1.14	1.47.3	2.17.1		29.3
Ythan	1	42	1.19.2	1.55	2.28.4		31.4
Sadko	1	47.2	1.27	2.08.2	2.44.4		36.2
Courting Eve	1	31.1	1.01	1.28			27
Perfect Day	1	44.3	1.23.4	1.57.2	2.27.4		30.2
Tabby Cat	1	42.2	1.20	1.53	2.22.2		28.2
Honeymoon Eve & Hove	1	42.3	1.02	1.31.3			29.3
Eve	1	40	1.19.1	1.56	2.28.2		33.2
A Great Time	1	42.3	1.02	1.31.3			29.3
Stopwatch	1	40	1.19.1	1.56	2.28.2		33.2
Thunder Bay & Ling	1	42.3	1.07	1.41			34
Long	1	43.4	1.22.1	1.57.2	2.27.3		30.1
Shipmaster & Royal	1	35	1.08	1.42.2	2.12.1		29.4
Higness	1	33.2	1.08	1.41			33
Centre Forward	1	37.1	1.11	1.43			32
Miracle	1	37.1	1.11	1.43			32
Diogenes	1	37.1	1.11	1.43			32

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Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

WEDNESDAY APRIL 28.							
Buyers	Sellers	Nominal		Buyers	Sellers	Nominal	
Bank							
1,862 1/2	1,862 1/2	H.K. Banks	\$1,255				
		do. (London)	2180				
		Chartered Banks	2183				
		Mercantile Bks. "A"	2331				
		do. "C"	2102				
93 1/2		Bank of East Asia	333				
		N. O. & S. Banks	324				
Insurance							
333 1/2		Canton Insurance	3330				
302 1/2		Union Insurance	183				
1,550		Underwriters	1185				
3,800		H.K. Firs	3833				
		International Assoc. S.					
Shipping							
336 1/2		Douglas	3381				
		Shamboats	19				
		Indos (pref.)	335				
		do. (def.)	30				
		Shells	1,061 1/2				
		Waterways	341				
Mining							
		Kailash	20.0				
		Venezuela Gold Flds.	13.70				
		Do. (def.)	80				
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.							
1117 1/2		H.K. & K. Wharves	11101				
30 5/8		Providents (old)	23.25				
		do. (new)	25 1/2				
		H.K. & W. Docks	331				
		Shanghai Docks S.	101				
		New Engineering S.	33				
		Lands, Hotels, and Buildings					
77.45		H.K. Hotels	77.40				
335 1/2		H.K. Lands	331				
		Do. 4 1/2 Dabentures	101				
		Shanghai Lands S.	115				
		Metropolitan Lands	11				
		H.K. Estates	11				
		China Do.	34				
		Do. Dabentures	160				
		Humphreys	39.3				
		Chinese Estates	380				
Cotton Mills							
10.80		Ewos	17.0				
117		Shui Cottons (old)	112				
395		do. (new)	473				
161		Zong Sing	301				
		Wing On Textiles (S.)	101				
Public Utilities							
115 1/2		Tramways	15.30				
44 1/2		Peak Trams (old)	34 1/2				
51 1/2		do. (new)	12				
		Star Ferry	186 1/2				
		Yankee Forries	185 1/2				
		China Lights (old)	114 1/2				
		do. (new)	102				
		H.K. Electric	161				
		Macao do.					
		Sandakan Lights	125.60				
		Telephones (old)	112.85				
		do. (new)					
		China Buses	26 1/2				
		Tramways	27 1/2				
		do. (pref.)					
Industrials							
		Calabock, (ord.) S.	119				
		Macgregor (pref.) S.	117				
		Canton Ice	32				
		Cements	115.80				
		Ropes	15.3				
Miscellaneous							
		Dairy Farms	125 1/2				
		Ch. L'aimments	34 1/2				
		Constructions (old)	51 1/2				
		do. (new)	15 1/2				
		Lane Crawford	57				
		Nanyang Tobacco	33				
		Singapore	35				
		Watsons	31				
		S. C. Enterprises	30 1/2				
		Ch. G. 5 1/2 1935 G. Bds.	103				
		H.K. Govt. 4 1/2 Loans	110 1/2				
		do. 3 1/2	85				
		Wallace Harper	100				
		H.K. Wing On	100				
		Shai Do	100				
		Vibro Piling	100				
		Maraman Inv. (Lon.)	100				
		do. (H.A.)	100				
		Wm. Fowells	100				

*Sales to Shanghai

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE AND H. K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION Philippine Gold Mining Quotations

28th April, 1937														
27th Apr.	Time Received													
	Closing Rates	R. 9.47	S. 9.47	9.50	10.04	10.17	10.35	10.80	clo. 11.07	2.36	2.48	3.07	3.18	clo. 3.40
Antamoka	1.10	1.05	1.15	1.10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.15	—	—
Atoka	32	31	34½	—	—	32½	33	—	—	32½	—	—	—	—
Baguio Gold	21½	20	24	31	—	—	—	—	21½	—	—	—	—	—
Benguet Consol	11.25	11.00	12.00	11.25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Benguet Explor	10	09	11	—	—	09½	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	09
Big Wedge	20½	19	—	20	—	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coco Grove	60 64	57	62	—	58	59	—	58	60	—	—	—	—	—
Consol Mines	028	028	028	027	—	—	—	—	—	78	—	—	—	028
Demonstrations	76	76	77	78	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	79
E. Mindanao	24½	24	27	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
G. Goldfields	14	14	15	14½	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Itogon	1.03 1.10	1.05	1.15	—	—	—	—	—	—	78	—	79	—	80
I. X. L.	75	75	78	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	—	—	33½
Masabates	39½	39	34	32½	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Min. Resources	27	25	—	26	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Northern Mining	8½ 9½	8	09	—	08½	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paracale Gumau	44	44	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	46	—	—	—
San Mauricio	2.10	2.10	2.15	—	2.15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.20	—
Suyoc Consol	37½	37	39½	38	—	—	—	38½	—	39	39½	—	—	—
United Parnacles	75	76	80	79	77	—	78	—	—	79	—	—	—	80
Market Comment.	S	Q	Q	S	S	S	S	Q	S	S	S	S	S	S

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H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The market was steady with rates generally maintained. In Manila, rates as a whole improved, the market closing steady at better prices.

BUYERS

H.K. Banks, \$1802 1/2.
Bank of E. Asia, \$92.
Canton Ins., \$325.
Union Ins., \$622.
Underwriters, \$155.
H.K. Firs, \$230.
Douglases, \$381.
H.K. Wharves, \$117.
Providents (Old), \$225.
Providents (New), 30 cts.
H.K. Hotels, \$740.
H.K. Lands, \$354.
H.K. Realities, \$59.90.
H.K. Trams, \$154.
Peak Trams (Old), \$44.
Peak Trams (New), \$11.
China Lights (Old), \$144.
China Lights (New), \$144.
H.K. Electric, \$604.
Macao Electric, \$174.
Sandakan Lights, \$124.
Telephones (New), \$127.0.
Cements, \$15.90.
H.K. Ropes, \$5.30.
Lane Crawford, \$9.
Ewo Cottons, \$16.80.
Shai Cottons (Old), \$117.
Shai Cottons (New), \$117.
Wing On Textiles, \$401.
Constructions (New), 45 cts.
Vibro Piling, \$8.20.

SELLERS

Providents, \$225.
H.K. Hotels, \$740.
H.K. Realities, \$59.90.
Cements, \$15.
SALES
H.K. Banks, \$1802 1/2.
H.K. Wharves, \$118.
Providents (Old), \$22.30.
Providents (New), 50 cts.
H.K. Trams, \$154 1/2.
China Lights (Old), \$28.
China Lights (New), \$14.65.
Lane Crawford, \$9.

H. K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS

Banks, \$1855.
Bank of E. Asia, \$93.
Underwriters, \$155.
Wharves, \$117 1/2.
Providents (Old), \$230.
Providents (New), 27 1/2 cts.
Lands, \$354.
China Lights (New), \$14.20.
Electric, \$604.
Telephones (Old), \$29.80.
Cements, \$14.90.

SELLERS

Underwriters, \$155.
Providents (Old), \$235.
Hotels, \$750.
Trams, \$15.35.
China Lights (New), \$14.40.
SALES
Wharves, \$118.
Trams, \$154.
H.K. Mines, 30/31 cts.

price on Friday was 20s. 3d. At 31st March, 1936, the company had £132,802 in cash, loan to associated company £12,000 and debtors, £8,078. In the year 1936-37 dividends totalling 12 1/2 per cent. have been paid.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	April 22	April 24
Paris	110 5/32	111 5/64
Geneva	21.59	21.55 1/2
Berlin	12.29	12.26 1/2
Athens	93 1/2	93 11/16
Milan		
Copenhagen	19.41	
Stockholm		
Shanghai	4.93 15/16	4.93
New York	9.02	8.90 1/2
Amsterdam		
Vienna		141 7/16
Prague		
Madrid		
Lisbon		
Hong Kong		
Bombay	29.24	29.19
Montreal	4.92 1/2	4.92
Brussels		
Yokohama		
Belgrade		
Monte Video		
Rio		
Bucharest	20 13/16	20 1/2
Silver (Forward)	20 1/2	20 7/16
Silver (Spot)	3 1/2 103 104	
War Loan		

Closing Quotations

April 28, 1937.

On LONDON:—	On NEW YORK:—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 30 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand 37 1/2	Credit, 60 days' sight, 30 15/16
Credit, four months' sight, 1/3 1/2	On demand, 55 7/16
On SHANGHAI:—	On demand, 55 7/16
On demand, 102 1/2	On demand, 55 7/16
On SINGAPORE:—	On demand, 55 7/16
On demand, 55 7/16	On demand, 55 7/16
On JAPAN:—	On demand, 55 7/16
On demand, 108	On demand, 55 7/16
On INDIA:—	On demand, 55 7/16
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2	On demand, 55 7/16
Bank, on demand, 55 7/16	On demand, 55 7/16

PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

The Benguet-Kibungan Gold Mining Co., Inc. has been granted a certificate by the securities and exchange commission to sell shares to the public. The shares of the company are being sold at par value of P.0.01 each. Subscription for shares will close at the end of this month, it was announced.

The firm has 39 lode claims known as the Nalobbo group in Kibungan municipal district, Mountain Province. These claims are located in the gold region of Benguet near the reservations of the Suyoc Consolidated and the Palidan-Suyoc Mining Company. Samples taken from the Nalobbo group were valued at \$7.23, based on the old price of gold of \$20.87 per ounce.

The officers of the Benguet-Kibungan Mining Co., Inc. are: Assemblyman Jose A. Angara, president; Assemblyman Tomas Oppus, vice-president; Assemblyman Juan Luna, secretary-treasurer; and Assemblyman Arsenio Bonifacio, director. Other members of the board of directors are Dr. Valentin Asfale, Dr. Jose de la Rosa, Dr. Carlos Macasag, Atanacio Bayan and Enriquez A. Amador.

TO SHIP ORE
The Pilar Copper Mines, Inc. and the Capiz Copper Mines, Inc., will ship ore to Japan very soon, according to Emilio Montilla, president.

This first shipment of ore will be handled by the Amalgamated Minerals, Inc. with which the company has a contract for the sale of its ore for one year.

The Pilar mines has 10,000 tons of high-grade ore already blocked out at Loay section, 1,500 tons at the portal of the tunnels ready for shipment and 80,000 tons at the Par section.

The ore will be shipped from the pier of Estancia which is 25 kilometers from the copper mines. The company is hastening the construction of its private road to facilitate transportation of the ores from the reservation to

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s.s. "ITAURI" for Shanghai, Dairen, Kobe, Osaka, Yham, Moji, 17th May.

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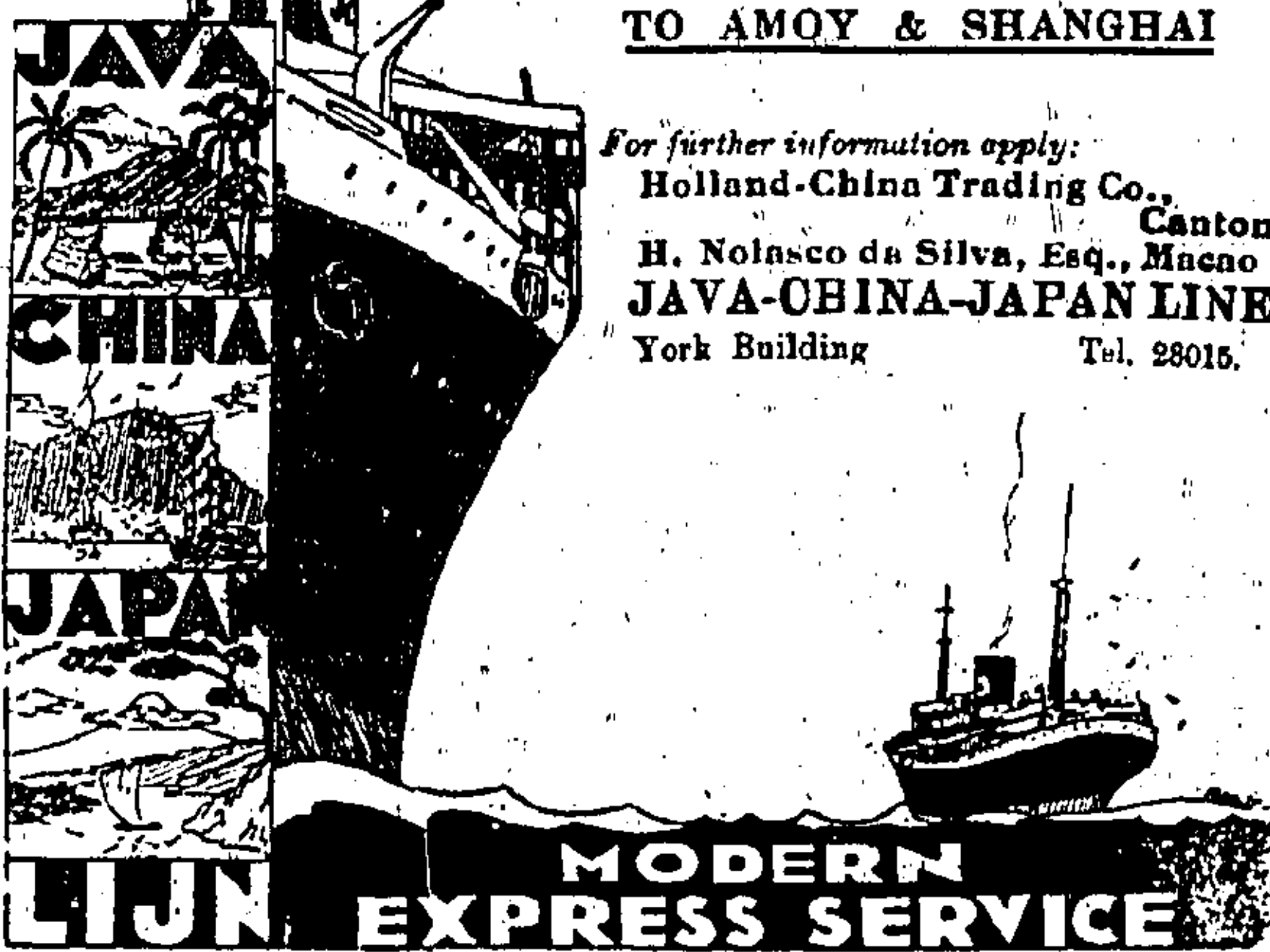
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New York: April 28.

	High	Low	Close	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	—	—	4.93-33/32	4.84 9/32 up
New York Cotton—July	13.32	13.01	13.06	.30 up
Dec.	13.02	12.69	12.74	.33 up
New York Rubber—July	29.47	29.10	29.58	.19 up
Chicago Wheat—July	117 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	.34 up
Chicago Corn	117 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	.34 up
Silver—Official	—	—	44 1/2	.14 up

	High	Low	Close	Change
1937	—	—	—	—
High Low Dow Jones Averages	171.57	173.18	173.38	1.81 up
64.46 40.68 20	57.96	58.16	58.16	.70 up
37.54 28.83 20	29.03	29.58	29.57	.18 off
109.01 88.82 40	100.89	—	100.83	.06 off
82.44 55.58 11	74.68	—	75.04	.36 up
Commodity Index	—	—	—	—
Business Done:—	1,410,000	—	—	—

Stocks Last Sale Apr. 26 27

Adams Express 174 174

Allis Chalmers 654 661

Amer. Can. 984 1003

Amer. Car & Foundry 27 28 1/2

Amer. Cyanamid 27 28 1/2

Amer. & For. Power 8 9

Amer. & For. 47 pf. 55 1/2

Amer. Locomotive 46 1/2

Amer. Metals 49 49

Amer. Radiator 22 1/2

Amer. Rolling Mill 35 1/2

Amer. Smelting 82 1/2

Amer. Steel P'dries 51 1/2

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Atlantic Refining 30 1/2

Atlas Corp. 17 1/2

Auburn Motors 28 1/2

Baldwin Locomotive 100 101 1/2

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Baltimore & Ohio 33 34

Barnsdall Oil 28 1/2

Bendix Aviation 84 1/2

Bethlehem Steel 87 88

Boeing Airplane 36 1/2

Borden Co. 25 24 1/2

Briggs Manufacturing 46 1/2

Brooklyn-Manhattan 34 34 1/2

Trans 34 34 1/2

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36 cum. pf. 89 1/2

Case, J.I. 154 155

Canadian Pacific 12 1/2

Celanese Corp. of 34 1/2

America 34 1/2

Cerro de Pasco 69 68 1/2

Certain-Ted P'dries 18 17 1/2

Chesapeake Corp. 81 1/2

Chesapeake & Ohio 58 57

Chrysler Corp. 111 1/2

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Columbia 6% "A" pf. 94 94

Commercial Credit 60 1/2

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Commonwealth & S. 21 21

Commonwealth 8% 54 53

cum. pf. 37 38 1/2

Consolidated Edison 15 1/2

Continental Oil 42 1/2

Corn. Products 62 64

Corn. Wright (C.) 84 84

Curtiss Wright "A" 19 1/2

Delaware & Hudson 17 1/2

Del. Lackawanna & 123 127 1/2

Western 123 127 1/2

Distillers Corp. Sea- 22 22

grams 55 1/2

Douglas Aircraft 152 153

Du Pont 18 1/2

Electric Boat 18 1/2

Elec. Bond & Share 18 1/2

Elec. Bond & Share 68 68

55 pf. 75 74 1/2

Elec. Power & Light 19 20

Elec. Power & Light 75 73 1/2

7 pf. 75 73 1/2

Firestone Tire & R. 34 1/2

Flintkote 34 1/2

Gen. Asphalt 43 43 1/2

Gen. Cigar 51 52 1/2

Gen. Electric 55 1/2

Gen. Foods 55 1/2

Gen. Motors 45 44 1/2

Gen. Railway Signal 23 1/2

Gillette Safety Razor 42 1/2

Gold Dust 43 44

Goodrich (B.F.) 79 81 1/2

Goodrich 55 pf. 79 81 1/2

Goodyear 40 1/2

Goodyear 40 1/2

Goodyear 40 1/2

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Goodyear 40 1/2

PASSENGERS

Arrivals By The
Emp. Of Asia

The C.P.S. liner Empress of Asia
arrived from Manila yesterday
with the following passengers:

Miss E. Afong, Mr. C. de la
Rama, Mr. F. F. Fairman, Mrs. F.
C. Hagedorn, Mr. J. H. Lander,
Mrs. E. Lawrence, Mrs. M. L.
Lander, Mr. S. Picornell, Mr. J.
Topacio, Mr. and Mrs. N. William-
son, Mrs. S. Wa'dron, Mr. and Mrs.
F. Weissblatt, Stty. A. B. Cuenca,
Mr. I. de Haan, Mr. G. Edejer, Mr.
C. Geregihni, Mrs. C. Coulcher,
Mr. Kong Po, Miss L. Bautista,
Miss C. M. Bautista, Master V.
Bautista, Mr. E. A. Potter, Mr.
Ping Quon Ching, Mr. N. Sonoda,
Mrs. Yu To Tee, Miss R. Go. Mr.
Phillips.

Through passengers were:

For Shanghai:—Mrs. A. R. Max-
well, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Phillips,
Miss B. Phillips, Mrs. C. Shannon,
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dewald, Mr.
and Mrs. B. F. Snyder, Mr. and
Mrs. G. F. Dietrick, Mr. and Mrs.
E. B. Green, Mr. C. Wood, Dr. M.
D. Mercado, Mrs. E. S. Mayhew,
Atty. C. A. Sobral, Mrs. H. E.
Terzin, Miss M. Forrest, Miss G.
Hutchinson, Miss M. McNair.
For Yokohama:—Mr. and Mrs.
J. Garrido, Mr. M. B. Sanchez,
Mstr. J. Garrido, Mr. and Mrs. J. de
Sala, Miss M. R. Caballero, Miss P.
Sotelo, Miss B. Legarda, Mrs. M.
Morillo, Mr. A. Rivero, Mrs. E.
Gartner, Miss J. de Leon, Mrs. T.
P. de Leon, Mrs. V. L. Villanueva,
Miss P. de Leon, Mr. G. Medina,
Miss F. Medina, Mr. J. P. Bautista,
Mr. A. Nigulida, Mr. L. Elzon, Mr.
F. Plimintel, Mr. B. Eazar, Mr.
A. L. Vellila, Mr. and Mrs. J.
Mendoza, Miss L. de Leon, Mr. and
Mrs. W. A. Kaattari.

For Kobe:—Mr. M. J. Olson, Mr. J.
Alk, Mr. J. J. Alk, Mr. M. Alk.
For Vancouver:—Dr. and Mrs. M.
Bartlett, Mrs. F. O'Connell, Mrs.
M. Kestel, Mrs. O. B. Setters.

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The following passengers arrived

by s.s. Santhia on Tuesday:—

Mrs. H. P. Martin, Miss E. C.

Bosden, Miss E. Morris, Mr. A. P.

Cox, Major and Mrs. P. E.

Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hobart,

Miss F. M. Peddar, Flight-Lt. and

Mrs. L. M. Corbet, Master Corbet,

Mr. Khoo Glim Chuan, Mr. Woo

Yin Lam, Mr. Lim Hsten Pin, Mrs.

Feng Guan and infant, Mrs. Lan

Koon Yoon, Mr. Chiang Yih Yu.

Through passengers were:—

For Shanghai:—Mr. W. W. Nind.

For Kobe:—Sir John and Lady

Woodhead, Miss Woodhead, Mrs.

R. B. Butler, Mrs. M. W. Beckme,

Mrs. A. T. Gould and two children,

The Hon. Mr. Justice H. R.

Pandridge.

For Yokohama:—Mrs. E. M. Ad-

ams-Williams, Lt.-Col. and Mrs.

T. Crawford Boyd, Miss M. E.

Crawford Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. P.

B. Gupta and two children.

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arrived yesterday from London,

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sengers:—

Major and Mrs. A. Tarbolton,

Miss E. Walker, Col. and Mrs. G.

C. Goward, Mr. G. Buckley, Miss

Allhusen, Mr. J. M. Nazirali, Mr.

and Mrs. K. Yates, Mr. C. E.

Chandler, Mr. E. Guy, Mrs. H. B.

Appel and two children, Mr. V. B.

Baker, Miss Baker, Mrs. D. Black,

Miss D. Brock, Mr. G. Blatchford,

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Buchanan, Mr.

and Mrs. W. L. Burton, Mr. N. J.

Chalmers, Mr. H. M. Cordner, Mr.

T. A. Cowan, Mr. D. D. Crabbe,

Miss B. Cummings, Mr. A. L. Daly,

Surg. Lt. Com. and Mrs. T. Ceave

with child and infant, Mr. and

Mrs. W. P. Delahunty and infant,

Mrs. G. J. Donald, Mr. and Mrs.

W. J. Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E.

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SWATOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN	"HAIHONG" ... On 30th Apr. 4 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, TIENTSIN	"KINGYUAN" ... On 1st May, 3 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW	"ANSHUN" ... On 1st May, 6 p.m.
SINGAPORE & PENANG	"KWANGTUNG" ... On 2nd May, 2 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SUIYANG" ... On 2nd May, (P) 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI	"KALGAN" ... On 4th May, ...
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"NANNING" ... On 5th May, 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SOOCHOW" ... On 5th May, 2 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN" ... On 5th May, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN	"YOHOW" ... On 7th May, 4 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, TIENTSIN	"SZECHOEN" (P) ... On 8th May, 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI	"KWANGHONG" ... On 8th May, 3 p.m.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"MUINAM" ... On 9th May, 11 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KAYING" ... On 9th May, 2 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW	"ANHUI" ... On 10th May, ...
SINGAPORE & PENANG	"CHIEKIANG" ... On 12th May, 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SHANTUNG" ... On 12th May, 2 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KALGAN" ... On 13th May, 8 a.m.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"KWANGTUNG" ... On 14th May, 3 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, TIENTSIN	"HUPEH" ... On 14th May, 4 p.m.
FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI	"SUIYANG" ... On 15th May, 3 p.m.
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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From April 29 to May 5, 1937.

HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.

Date	Month	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Thur.	29	10 34	4.4	10 34	3.4
Fri.	30	10 31	7.0	10 31	3.2
		01 12	4.1	01 12	3.8
		11 01	7.0	11 01	3.8
		02 11	3.9	02 11	1.6
		11 35	6.8	11 35	1.6
Sat.	1	12 17	6.5	12 17	1.8
Sun.	2	12 16	6.2	12 16	1.9
Mon.	3	12 16	6.2	12 16	1.9
Tues.	4	12 14	5.9	12 14	1.9
Wed.	5	06 20	4.2	06 20	4.2
		12 03	5.7	12 03	1.9

WEATHER REPORT

ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONG KONG

10 a.m., April 28.
Barometer (at sea level) ... 29.97 ins.
Temperature ... 72 F.
Humidity ... 82 per cent.
Wind Direction ... E.N.
Wind Force (Beaufort) ... 5.
Temperature, Maximum ... yesterday 78 F.
Temperature, Minimum ... last night 69 F.
Rainfall for 24hrs. ending 10h. to-day 0.00 ins.
Total rainfall since Jan. 1 - 8.78 ins.
Against an average of ... 10.72 ins.
Sunset to-night, 6.49 p.m.
Sunrise to-morrow, 5.53 a.m.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.
Tientsin, J.C.J. Line, April 29.
Santia, B.I. (Aper), April 29.
Santia, Douglas, April 30.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Anshun, B. & S., May 1.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 1.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 2.
Van Houtz, J.C.J. Line, May 4.
Taiman, B. & S., May 5.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 7.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 9.
Taiman, B.I. (Aper), May 13.
Taiman, B. & S., May 13.
Hui Lee, Thoresen's, May 15.

Chetoo.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Nanning, B. & S., May 5.
Hangsang, Jardine's, May 7.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 14.
Yatsing, Jardine's, May 14.
Dairen.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Leverkussen, Johnson's, May 3.
Havelland, Johnson's, May 9.
Tjostand, J.C.J. Line, May 10.
Fulda, Melchers, May 11.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Hauri, Johnson's, May 17.
Havel, Melchers, May 18.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, May 24.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.

Foochow.
Seistan, Douglas, April 30.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Sulphur, B. & S., May 2.
Nanning, B. & S., May 5.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 7.
Hangsang, Jardine's, May 7.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 8.
Yatsing, Jardine's, May 14.
Japan (Direct).
Islami, Jardine's, May 15.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Canton Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.

Keelung.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 2.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 9.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Bandoeng, O.S.K., May 16.

Shanghai and Japan.
Ravallindi, P. & O., April 29.
Santia, B.I. (Aper), April 29.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 30.
Arabia, Lloyd Triestino, May 1.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
Porthos, Messageries, May 2.
Volpi, Lloyd Triestino, May 2.
Calchas, B. & S., May 3.
Leverkussen, Johnson's, May 3.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Taiman, Thoresen's, May 5.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 5.
Malaya, E.A. Co., May 6.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Beatty, Loxley's, May 8.
Havelland, Johnson's, May 9.
Menethers, B. & S., May 9.
Banzara, P. & O., May 11.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 12.
Cord, P. & O., May 13.
Gneisenau, Melchers, May 13.
Taiman, B.I. (Aper), May 13.
Aras, Messageries, May 14.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Dammek, E.A. Co., May 15.
Hauri, Johnson's, May 15.
Havel, Melchers, May 17.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., May 19.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, May 21.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, May 24.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.
Irisbank, Bank Line, May 30.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Kwangchow, B. & S., April 29.
Prominent, Jardine's, April 29.
Tjostand, J.C.J. Line, April 29.
Uffington Court, Melchers, April 30.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 2.
Kwaiang, Jardine's, May 2.
Sulphur, B. & S., May 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 5.
Taiman, B. & S., May 5.
Looming, Jardine's, May 6.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.
Conte Biancamano, L. Triestino, May 8.
Shantung, Gilman's, May 8.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 8.
Kaying, B. & S., May 9.
Sandviken, Jardine's, May 9.
Fulda, Melchers, May 11.
Taiman, B. & S., May 13.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 14.
Havel, Melchers, May 17.

Swatow.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Prominent, Jardine's, April 29.
Santia, Douglas, April 30.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Anshun, B. & S., May 1.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 1.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 2.
Kwaiang, Jardine's, May 2.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 2.
Kaitan, B. & S., May 4.
Van Houtz, J.C.J. Line, May 4.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 5.
Hellas, Thoresen's, May 5.
Nanning, B. & S., May 5.
Soochow, B. & S., May 5.
Taksang, Jardine's, May 6.
Looming, Jardine's, May 6.
Hangsang, Jardine's, May 7.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 9.
Kaying, B. & S., May 9.
Sandviken, Jardine's, May 9.
Hellas, Thoresen's, May 12.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 14.
Yatsing, Jardine's, May 14.
Hui Lee, Thoresen's, May 15.
Fukukon Maru, O.S.K., May 15.
Hiram, Thoresen's, May 23.

Taku.
Leverkussen, Johnson's, May 3.
Havelland, Johnson's, May 9.
Fulda, Melchers, May 11.
Havel, Melchers, May 18.

Tientsin.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Nanning, B. & S., May 5.
Hangsang, Jardine's, May 7.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 14.
Yatsing, Jardine's, May 14.

Tientsin.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, April 30.
Kwaiang, Jardine's, May 2.
Calchas, B. & S., May 3.

Taksang, Jardine's, May 5.
Hangsang, Jardine's, May 7.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.
Havelland, Johnson's, May 9.
Sandviken, Jardine's, May 9.
Fulda, Melchers, May 11.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 14.
Yatsing, Jardine's, May 14.
Havel, Melchers, May 18.

Eastward.
FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Bahia.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Baltimore.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Boston and New York.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Cristobal.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Havana.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.

Honolulu.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Los Angeles.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Panama.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Philadelphia.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Portland.
General Leg, States Co., May 8.
General Pershing, States Co., May 29.

San Francisco.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
General Leg, States Co., May 8.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
General Pershing, States Co., May 29.

Seattle.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, May 21.

San Francisco, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 30.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 30.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Southward.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.
Nohiro, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 1.
Taiping, B. & S., May 18.

Bali.
Tjostand, J.C.J. Line, May 11.

Bangkok.
Woolgar, E.A. Co., May 3.
Houtman, J.C.J. Line, May 4.
Kaitan, B. & S., May 4.
Hui Hing, Thoresen's, May 5.
Hellas, Thoresen's, May 5.
Hiram, Thoresen's, May 23.

Batavia.
Tjostand, J.C.J. Line, May 4.

Belawan-Deli.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, April 29.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., May 2.
Oder, Melchers, May 12.
Gneisenau, Melchers, May 30.

Brisbane.
Nohiro, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 1.
Taiping, B. & S., May 18.

Cebu.
Peter Mierck, Johnson's, April 30.
Tjostand, J.C.J. Line, May 11.
Silveryew, Furness, May 23.

Well-Hai-Wei.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 29.
Yohow, B. & S., May 7.

Eastward.
FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Bahia.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Baltimore.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Boston and New York.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Cristobal.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Havana.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.

Honolulu.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Los Angeles.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Panama.
Nohiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
Nako Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Philadelphia.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Hokuroku Maru, O.S.K., May 5.
City of Elwood, States Co., May 17.
Sungyo Maru, O.S.K., May 27.

Portland.
General Leg, States Co., May 8.
General Pershing, States Co., May 29.

San Francisco.
Pres. Hoover, Dollars, May 1.
General Leg, States Co., May 8.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, May 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollars, May 19.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
General Pershing, States Co., May 29.

Seattle.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, May 21.

San Francisco, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 30.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 30.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 14.
Tymareus, B. & S., May 15.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 22.

Southward.
FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 1.
Troja, Thoresen's, May 2.
Antenor, B. & S., May 5.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 8.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 8.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, May 15.
Ajax, B. & S., May 19.

Amsterdam.
Shantung, Gilman's, May 1.
Canton, Gilman's, May 27.

Antwerp.
Shantung, Gilman's, May 1.
Troja, Thoresen's, May 2.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 8.
Bengloe, Loxley's, May 9.
Rheinland, Johnson's, May 12.
Serooskerk, J.C.J. Line, May 15.
Canton, Gilman's, May 27.

Beyrouth.
Toyouka Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.

Bombay.
London Maru, O.S.K., May 4.
Pres. Pierce, Dollars, May 9.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 11.
Conte Biancamano, L. Triestino, May 16.
Mirzapore, P. & O., May 20.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollars, May 23.

Boston and New York.
Rheuss, B. & S., May 2.
Pres. Pierce, Dollars, May 9.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollars, May 23.
Silveryew, Furness, May 23.

Bremen.
Oder, Melchers, May 12.
Gneisenau, Melchers, May 30.

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Daily Statement. Clearances.
Ships in Harbour, etc.

ARRIVALS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28.
S.S. Tai Yuan, British steamer,
2,100 tons, Capt. J. K. Clark,
from Canton, buoy No. B3.—
B. & S.

Lyemoon, British steamer, 1,734
tons, Captain E. Holmes,
from Saigon, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B4.—
Wo Fat Sing.

Canton Maru, Japanese steamer,
1,847 tons, Captain R. Suzuki,
from Swatow, general cargo,
lying at O. S. K's Wharf.—
O. S. K.

Seistan, British steamer, 1,571
tons, Captain R. C. Creer,
from Swatow, general cargo,
berthing at Douglas Wharf.—
Douglas & Co.

Proteus, Norwegian steamer, 1,025
tons, Captain A. S. Bugge,
from Holhow, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B16.—
Wing Fung Cheong.

Cremer, Dutch steamer, 2,785
tons, Captain J. W. Kummer,
from Amoy via Swatow,
berthing at buoy No. A7.—
J. C. J. Line.

Newchwang, British steamer, 1,480
tons, Captain L. V. Rowe,
from Amoy, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B20.—
B. & S.

Empress of Asia, British steamer,
8,883 tons, Captain G. Good,
from Manila, general cargo,
berthing at Kowloon Wharf.—
C. P. S.

Rawalpindi, British steamer, 9,459
tons, Captain M. G. Weaver,
from London via Singapore,
general cargo, Kowloon Wharf.—
M. M. & Co.

Wing Wah, Portuguese steamer,
651 tons, Captain J. Teixeira,
from Canton, Stonecutters.—
Tai Fung & Co.

Kalgan, British str., 1,556 tons,
Capt. Richards, from Bangkok
via Swatow, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B15.—
B. & S.

Rhesus, British steamer, 4,151
tons, Captain R. O. Morris,
from Shanghai, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. A15.—
B. & S.

Haidis, British steamer, 1,144 tons,
Captain A. Hall, from Canton,
mooring at Stonecutters.—
Wo Fat Sing.

Huashan Maru, Japanese str., 1,284
tons, Captain S. Yokoyama,
from Amoy, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B11.—
N. Y. K.

Hai Chen, Chinese steamer, 2,060
tons, Captain H. Y. Hu,
from Shanghai via Swatow,
general cargo, China Merchant
Steam Navigation's Wharf.—
C. M. S. N. & Co.

King Yuan, British steamer, 1,546
tons, Captain R. Allison,
from Swatow, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. B21.—
B. & S.

Tai Poo Sek, French steamer, 1,219
tons, Captain J. Bonnamour,
from K. C. Wan, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. C1.—
Tai Fung & Co.

TUESDAY, APRIL 27.

Tai Poo Sek, French steamer, 1,219
tons, Captain J. Bonnamour,
from K. C. Wan, general cargo,
berthing at buoy No. C1.—
Tai Fung & Co.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected
to be in wireless communication
with Hong Kong Radio:—

Newchwang, Yasukuni Maru,
Proteus, Pleasantville, Rosalie Mol-
ler, Hokuroku Maru, Bahrain,
Canton Maru, Hai Chen, Hai Li,
General Lee, Nellore, President
Hoover, President McKinley, and
Rajputana.

NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Freight And Asiatic Passenger Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN).

The freight returns, received
from the Harbour Office during
the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.
yesterday, showed a very high
tonnage movement. A good pro-
portion being made up by British
ships.

The total tonnage of general
cargo carried by vessels to the
Colony was 17,593 tons, with
British steamers carrying 8,864
tons. Through cargo for ports
beyond the Colony amounted to
36,849 tons, of which 23,622 tons
were carried by British steamers.

Asiatic deck passengers entering
the Colony during the twenty-four
hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday
were 3,548, of which, 1,429 were
from British steamers.

There were altogether nineteen
arrivals, of which nine were of
British registry, the remainder
being of other nationalities, while
of the 13 departures, six were
British ships. Particulars as fol-
lows:—

Nationality	Ships	Tonnage
British	9	32,488
French	2	1,100
Dutch	2	9,322
Norwegian	2	2,250
Japanese	2	7,396
Chinese	2	1,838
Total	19	54,442

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. Rajputana (P. and O.
Line) left Shanghai for this port
on the 27th instant at 3 p.m., and
is due here on the 30th instant at
about 7 a.m.

The m.s. Havel (N.D.L.) is ex-
pected to arrive here on the 18th
May instead of on the 17th.

The s.s. President McKinley (A.
M. Line) will sail from Hong Kong
to Manila at 6 p.m. on Sunday,
May 2, instead of May 1 as pre-
viously scheduled.

CLEARANCES

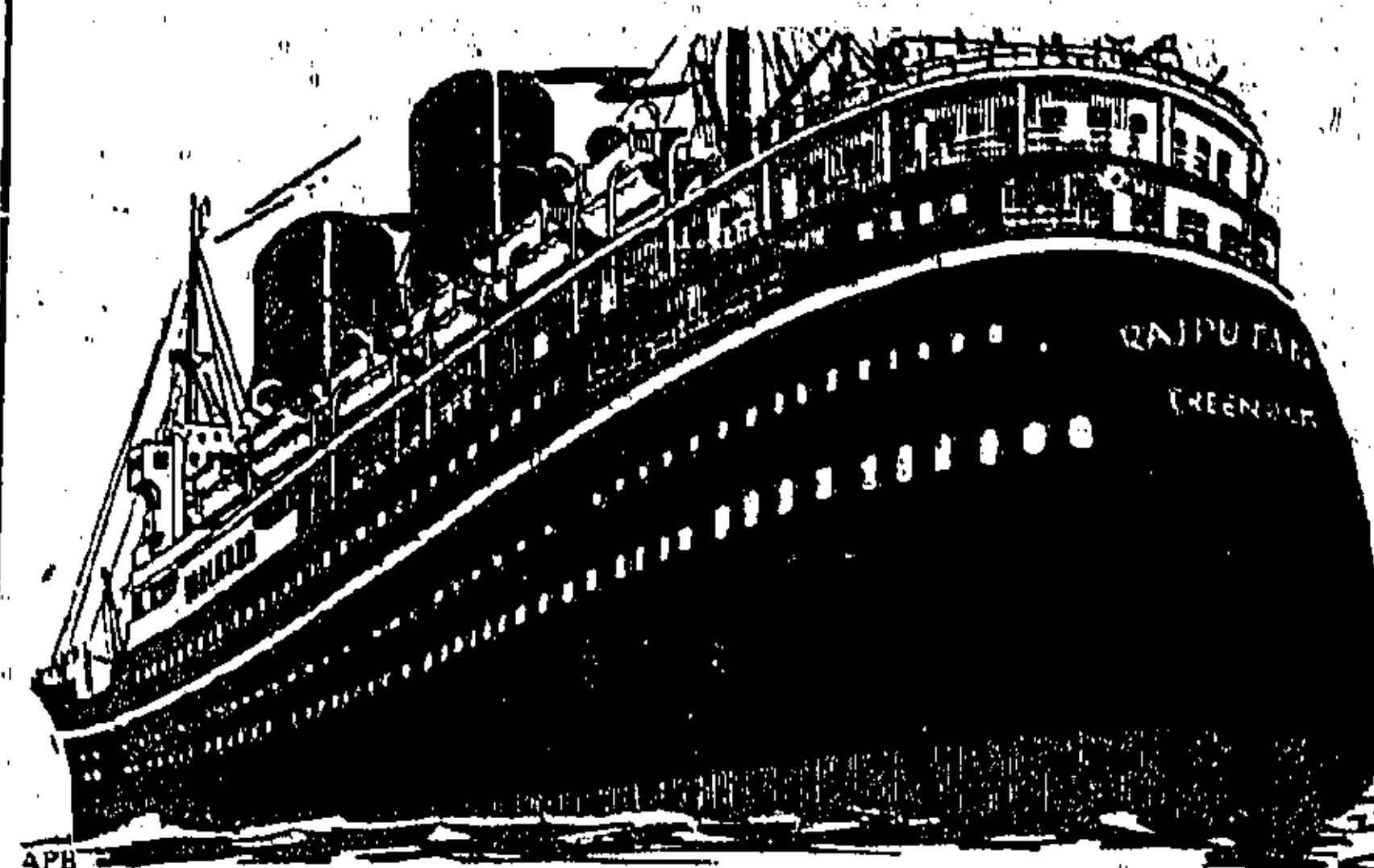
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28.

Newchwang for Canton
Radnorshire for Singapore
Dayken for Swatow
Mayebashi Maru for Singapore
Seistan for Swatow
Tai Yuan for Amoy
Haidis for Hongay
Hai Chen for Canton
King Yuan for Canton
Tijikembang for Halphong
Yuki Maru for Kijong
Wing Wah for Holhow

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Proteus, Pleasantville, Rosalie Mol-
ler, Hokuroku Maru, Bahrain,
Canton Maru, Hai Chen, Hai Li,
General Lee, Nellore, President
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VESSELS DUE

Ajaccio, B. & S., May 25.
Ajax, B. & S., May 10.
Anshun, B. & S., April 29.
Antenor, B. & S., May 3.
Antiochus, B. & S., May 21.
Arabia, Lloyd Triestino, May 1.
Aramis, Messageries, May 14.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 10.
Bennet, Loxley's, May 8.
Bengal, Loxley's, May 9.
Bentoch, Loxley's, May 2.
Calchas, B. & S., May 3.
Chickang, B. & S., May 2.
City of Elwood, States Co., April 29.
City of Lille, Bank Line, May 15.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, May 24.
Centa Biancamano, L. Triestino, May 3.
Corfu, P. & O., May 12.
Danmark, E.A. Co., May 15.
Domodocus, B. & S., May 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., June 4.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 20.
Eurylochus, B. & S., May 1.
Friedrich, Melchers, May 25.
Fulda, Melchers, May 11.
G.O.P. Doumer, Messageries, May 1.
Gen. Pershing, States Co., May 31.
General Leo, States Co., April 30.
Gneissau, Melchers, May 13.
Golden Dragon, States Co., May 9.
Havelland, Jensen's, May 8.
Havel, Melchers, May 18.
Houtman, J.C.J. Line, May 3.
Irisbank, Bank Line, May 30.
Itari, Jensen's, May 17.
Java, E.A. Co., May 10.
Jean Laborde, Messageries, May 4.
Kalgan, B. & S., April 29.
Loverkusen, Jensen's, May 3.
Malaya, E.A. Co., May 7.
Manila Maru, O.S.S., May 6.
Medon, B. & S., May 27.
Menestheus, B. & S., May 9.
Mirzapore, P. & O., May 19.
Naldern, P. & O., May 26.
Nanning, B. & S., April 30.
Nelson, B. & S., May 28.
Nelle, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 29.
Oder, Melchers, May 12.
Peter Maersk, Jensen's, April 29.
Philoteles, B. & S., May 31.
Porthos, Messageries, May 2.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, April 30.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, April 30.
Protadius, B. & S., May 8.
Rajputana, P. & O., April 30.



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RANPURA	17,000	15th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*MIRZAPORE	7,000	22nd May	Straits, Bombay & Karachi
*SOMALI	7,000	22nd May	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'bg., R'dam, Antwerp & Hull
RAWALPINDI	17,000	29th May	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
CORFU	14,500	12th June	do
*BANGALORE	6,000	19th June	Mars, Havr., London, Hamburg R'dam, Antwerp & Hull
NALDERA	16,000	26th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTEAGE	14,500	10th July	do
*BHUTAN	6,000	17th July	Mars, Havr., London, H'bg., R'dam, Antwerp & Hull
RANCHI	17,000	24th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	6,000	31st July	Mars, Havr., London, H'bg., R'dam, Antwerp & Hull
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,500	7th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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TANDAS	7,000	4th June	
NANKIN	7,000	2nd July	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

RAWALPINDI	17,000	29th Apr.	Shanghai & Japan
TANDA	7,000	6th May	do
*BANGALORE	6,000	11th May	do
TALMA	10,000	13th May	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
CORFU	14,500	13th May	Shanghai & Japan
WIDHANA	8,000	21st May	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	16,000	27th May	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	2nd June	do
SHIRALA	8,000	10th June	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan

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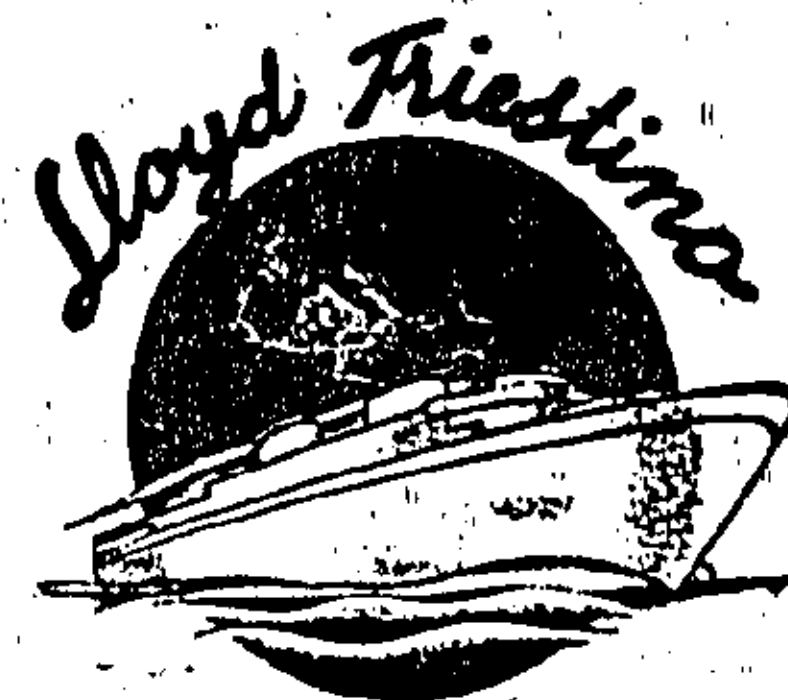
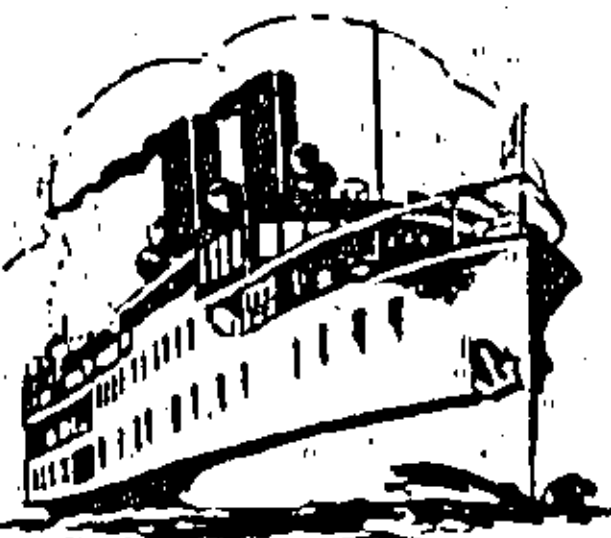
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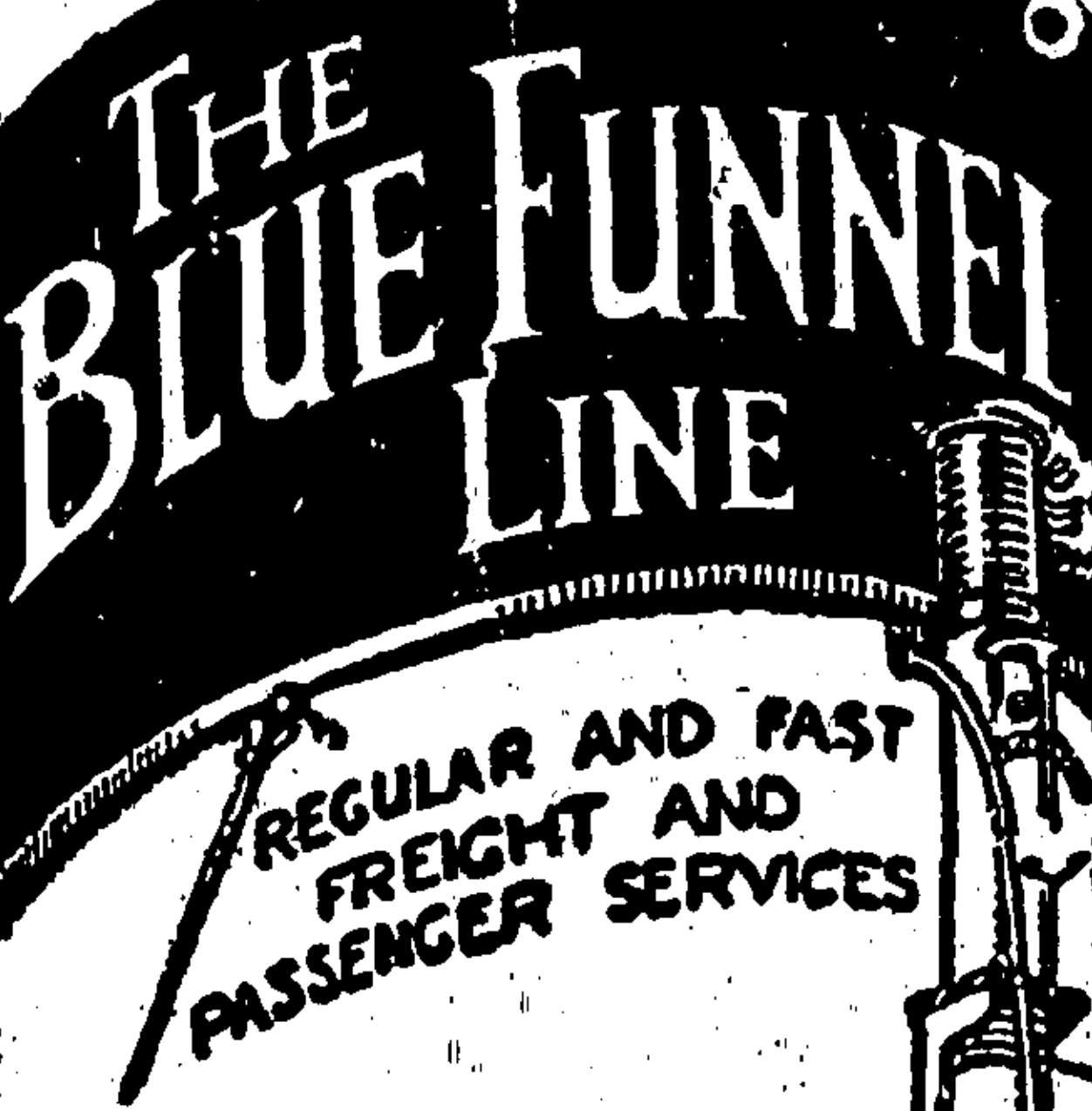
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"MAN THE UNKNOWN"

(Continued from Page 1)

a mastery of almost everything on earth except ourselves. Man is an indivisible whole of extreme complexity. He is split up by workers in anatomy, chemistry, physiology, psychology, pedagogy, history, sociology, and political economy, the result being abstractions, the sum total of which are still less rich than the concrete fact, the mysteries of which lie in the relation between consciousness and cerebrum, physiology of nervous cells, factors of nervous equilibrium, physiological and mental factors of happiness. Habits have profoundly changed by applications of science which are illustrated by the improvement of physical health and the failure in intellectual standard to satisfy efforts.

Modern civilisation seems to be incapable of producing people endowed with imagination, intelligence, and courage. Perhaps modern civilisation finds itself in a difficulty because it does not suit us. Perhaps it has been erected without any knowledge of our real nature, whims and appetites.

OPERATIONAL DEFINITION

An organism is capable of manifesting physico-chemical, physiological, and psychological activities. John Dewey undertook to improve the education of American children, but his methods were suited to the schema, the abstraction, which his professional bias made him take for the concrete child.

The more eminent the specialist, the more dangerous he is, and the best way to increase the intelligence of scientists would be to decrease their number, for human beings are bad subjects for scientific investigation.

The human body is half-way between an atom and a star—in reality spatial greatness is without importance. Each epoch puts its seal on human beings. The beauty of youth comes from his face while that of an old man emerges from his soul.

The quality of an individual depends partly on that of his surface—the skin. Women who are fond of skin tanning do not realize the great risks they are taking, as the good functioning of the body as a whole depends largely upon the regular breathing of the pores of the skin. Inside the skin there are cells, like animals, which belong to many different races.

Physiological laws are as inexorable as those of the sidereal world. There are fundamental differences between a man and a woman. The part of women in the progress of civilisation is higher than that of men. They should not abandon their specific functions. The sound body lives in silence.

Humanity has been more thoroughly impregnated with religious inspiration than with philosophical thought.

DISTRIBUTION OF MENTAL ACTIVITIES

Most civilised men are made manifest with only an elementary form of consciousness. The happiest and most useful men are possessed with the well-integrated whole of intellectual, moral and organic activities. Humanity has never gained anything from the efforts of the crowd.

Intelligence is becoming more and more general through the medium of cheap literature, radios, and cinemas.

Organs improvise means of meeting new situations. Permanent modifications of body and consciousness may be produced by adaptation. In this manner, environment stamps human beings with its mark.

THE INDIVIDUAL

In nature only individuals exist. The individual ought to be considered organically, humoually and mentally. Modern society ignores the individual. The neglect of individuality by our social institutions is responsible for the atrophy of the adults.

Error due to the confusion of concepts of human being and individual is democratic equality. The standardisation of men by democratic ideal has already determined the predominance of the weak.

KAWAGOE SAILS

Mr. Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador, sailed for Tokyo to-day to report on Sino-Japanese relations.



Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ismail together with Miss Alice Ismail are seen in the above photograph, taken at the Indian Recreation Club Sports on Sunday.

"AMONGST THOSE PRESENT—"

(Continued from Page 1.)

Wright, Fourth officer J. W. Slicker and fifth officer McCarthy) and his short speech was warmly applauded.

Women always fall for the "men who do things" so it is not surprising that there were almost as many women as men in the audience.

PRETTY DRESSES

Among the ladies on the platform I noticed Mrs. N. L. Smith, who looked delightful in a most attractive costume of black with very wide sleeves turned back with delicately patterned silk which matched the blouse, and a black hat. Lady MacGregor chose a soft shade of pink with polka-dots of black and a black picture hat, and Mrs. Sedgwick was very smart in pale gray and white, and Miss J. Smith had a pretty dress of printed silk with a navy ground.

Mrs. Bartholomew was elegantly gowned in a dark shade. Mrs. Newell in cool-looking tawn check. Mrs. Donovan had a delightful costume of a pink-fawn with a short Russian-blouse striped with very pale green. Mrs. Dalzell was very smart in navy blue and a small hat of the same material, while Mrs. North, (whom I glimpsed over the head of someone very tall who somewhat obscured the view) had the sweetest and most modern little hat trimmed with flowers.

GREATEST INNOVATION

Among the sea of faces in the audience I saw a great many well-known people, and among them was Mr. Fred Tracy, and Mr. and Mrs. Emmert, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sanger, who were with other leading members of the American community. Mrs. Seth-Smith, Mrs. Taggart and Sir Henry and Lady Pollock were there, and Sir Robert To Tung was listening to the speeches with obvious interest. Sir Robert Ho Tung has seen a great many changes in his day, but this innovation is perhaps the greatest, since it should open up a new era.

Dr. Wellington was another I noticed, with Mrs. Wellington, who had a very charming costume of putty-colour and pale cerise. Mrs. Collis Hallows looked extremely smart in navy blue with a vest of frilled white organdie, and brought her daughter Bunt who wore a very pretty printed silk dress.

REALLY ON THE MAP

Mrs. L. H. King was there with her daughter, Mrs. Hinchelwood, who has come from Siam for a short visit, and I also noticed Mrs. Nicol, back after a very long spell at Home. Miss Betty Pestonji was with her sister, wearing a dainty costume of white and a blouse of navy blue, and Miss Crapnell with her fiancé and Commander and Mrs. Sweny. Mrs. Stanton, Erik Nelson, and a whole host of others.

So now at last we are definitely linked up with the world and "those of us who speak the language" (as Mr. Bixby, the Vice-President for China of Pan-American Airways, so wittily remarked in his speech) need no longer feel like exiles now that Hong Kong is at last really on the map.

SHANGHAI STRIKE SETTLED

Shanghai, April 28. The strike of Ford taxi-cab drivers has been settled and the men are expected to return to work to-morrow.

The company, which operates the largest taxi service in Shanghai, agreed to reduce the number of men dismissed from 30 to seven, and the strikers have complied with the proposal.

PRIEST SENT TO PRISON

High Treason Charge In Berlin

Berlin, Apr. 28. Roosaunt was found "guilty of high treason and sentenced to eleven years' penal servitude and deprived of civil rights for ten years. This is one of the most drastic sentences passed on a priest in Germany.

Of the six other accused, one was sentenced to five years and a Catholic layman to two years' penal servitude. Both lost civil rights for the same periods.

One other was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment. Three were acquitted including the leader of the Catholic Youth.

The period of fourteen months during which the men have been in custody will be deducted from the sentences.

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DAVIS CUP TENNIS

China-New Zealand Pairings

London, April 28.

The Davis Cup tennis tie between China and New Zealand starts at 2.30 p.m. The following are the pairings:—

Thursday: Kho Sin Kie v. Malfroy; Choy v. Stedman.
Friday: Kho Sin Kie and Tsui Wai Pui (Hong Kong Champion) v. Malfroy and Stedman.
Saturday: Kho Sin Kie v. Stedman; Choy v. Malfroy.

ANNUAL BILLIARDS PRIZE-GIVING

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the China Fleet Club last evening when the annual prize-giving and dance of the Steel Coulson Billiards League was held. Mr. W. J. Fleming, Hon. Secretary of the League, made a short speech after which Mrs. Fleming gave away the prize to the following:—

Billiards
Winners: Catholic Union Club
Runners-up: Royal Artillery
Snooker
Winners: R.W.F. Sergis' Mess
Runners-up: Catholic Union Club.

SUN FO-SOONG VISIT TO CANTON

Shanghai, April 28. Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, and Mr. T. V. Soong, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of China, will sail from here on May 5, for Canton for a conference with officials there on the development of Hainan Island and industrial exploitation of Kwangtung.

The group of merchants touring Hainan Island were entertained at dinner last evening by Brigadier General Li Kiang, the garrison commander of Hainan. The merchants will leave the island on May 1 for Hong Kong.

Union News.

VIENNA MURDER SUSPECTS

Vienna, Apr. 28. Four young men, alleged to be members of a robber band, have been arrested in connection with the murder of Ingrid Weingreen.

FOREIGN MAILS

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FROM	PER	DATE
JAPAN	Nellors	30th Apr.
SHANGHAI	General Lee	30th Apr.
SWATOW	Nanning	30th Apr.
MANILA	Pres. Hoover	30th Apr.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 10th April)	Pres. McKinley	30th Apr.
JAPAN, SHANGHAI and EUROPE via Siberia (London date, 8th April)	Rajputana	30th Apr.
SHANGHAI and Foochow	Jus Yang	30th Apr.
HAIPHONG	G. G. Paul Downer	1st May
STRAITS	Eurylochus	1st May
BANGKOK	Ushakov	2nd May
AMOI	Tykhov	2nd May
SAIGON	Forbes	2nd May
STRAITS	Colcher	3rd May
STRAITS	Houlman	3rd May
STRAITS	Van Heuts	4th May
SHANGHAI	Juan Laborde	4th May
STRAITS	Terakuni Maru	4th May
SHANGHAI	Antenor	5th May
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Taida	5th May
JAPAN	Manila Maru	6th May
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Suwa Maru	7th May
CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver B.C. 17th April)	Emp. of Canada	7th May
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 10th April)	Pres. Pierce	8th May
STRAITS	Conte Biancamano	8th May
JAVA and MANILA	Tyndareus	8th May
SHANGHAI	Tyndareus	8th May

OUTWARD MAILS

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FOR	PER	DATE AND TIME
THURSDAY		
Amoy	Tynegora	Thursday, 29th, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Rajputana	10.30 a.m.
STRAITS	Cromer	Noon
Air Mail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.C. plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. Noon
Fort Bayard	Tai Poo Sik	1.30 p.m.
Amoy and Pakhoi	Ushakov	2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Prominent	3.30 p.m.
Manila	City of Elvoo	5.00 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Tai Suen Hong	6.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., and EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) due Vancouver B.C. 17th May	Emp. of Asia	Par. 29th, 5.00 p.m.
via Siberia		Reg. 30th, 9.15 a.m.
Air Mail for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and North China (via Shanghai).	C.N.A.C. plane	Ord. 30th, 10.00 a.m.
FRIDAY		
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 9th May.	Imperial Airways Plane	Friday, 30th, G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 8.30 a.m.
Air Mail for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin, 4th May.	Imperial Airways Plane	Reg. 8.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Ord. 9.30 a.m.
Manila	General Lee	2.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco due San Francisco, 18th May	Parcels	4.00 p.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia, and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 18th May	Reg.	5.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles 28th May	Nellors	Par. 30th, 5.00 p.m.
		Ord. 1/5, 9.00 a.m.
		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 30th, 5.00 p.m.
		Ord. 31st, 5.00 a.m.
SATURDAY		
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 10th May.	Rajputana	Par. 30th, 5.00 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingman	Reg. 9.30 a.m.
Amoy	Anshun	Ord. 10.00 a.m.
Manila	Pres. Hoover	1.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. McKinley	4.30 p.m.
	Forbes	5.00 p.m.
SUNDAY		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sunday, 2nd, 9.00 a.m.
Foochow	Suiyang	9.00 a.m.
MONDAY		
Shanghai	Eurylochus	Monday, 3rd, 2.30 p.m.
TUESDAY		
Air Mail for "France Orient Service"—due Marseilles, 16th May.	Jean Laborde	Tuesday, 4th, G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 8.30 a.m.
Seigon, Ceylon, India, East, and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles 1st June	Juan Laborde	Ord. 8.45 a.m.
June		9.30 a.m.
Salaya	Tykhov	Reg. 9.45 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Terakuni Maru	Ord. 1/5, 10.30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY		
Foochow via Swatow	Nanning	Wednesday, 6th, 8.30 p.m.
Straits, Aden and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 4th June	Parcels	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.00 a.m.
and London—due London, 10th June		Ord. 9.45 a.m.
Bayard Fort and Haiphong	G. G. Paul Downer	2.00 p.m.
Amoy	Triman	3.30 p.m.

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